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City Employees Give To Needy Children At Christmas

Donna Vaughan Enjoys Raising Farm Animals



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Gaston Project "going on quite well now" - Leahy

By Karen Dalrymple
Staff Writer

"The wheels of government turn slowly," said Thomas Leahy, Lake Gaston project manager, and water resources division manager, Department of Public Utilities.

He is referring to the litigations that are still tied up in a Raleigh, N.C. federal court, where Judge W. Earl Britt is waiting for the Army Corps of Engineers to finalize its supplemental environmental assessment. The assessment will attempt to convince the court that Virginia Beach does need Lake Gaston's water and that the project will not harmfully affect striped bass.

"I understand Wilmington (Corps of Engineers) is preparing some final comments," Leahy said.

Leahy said he hopes the government will make some decision in 1988. That way, the litigations could be back in court by 1989.

In 1989, Leahy said, engineering will be completed. Virginia Beach is still in the process of getting Brunswick County's approval.

"They have given one yes on one



Thomas Leahy

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part of it, but now they have taken actions to negate that," said Leahy.

Leahy said they are preparing final submittals and plan to meet with Brunswick County's planning commission on Dec. 13.

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A LITTLE JOHN

Well. Been out in the uckin' bush for ten uckin' days. uckin' choppers picked us up outta a uckin' rice paddy, flew us back to uckin' Charlie III uckin' combat base. uckin' six said we done uckin' good. uckin' number one. Gonna get us some Cinder-uckin'-ella-uckin' liberty. So we went and got us a uckin' shower and some clean uckin' fatigues, and hitched us a uckin' ride into the uckin' ville. Found us a uckin' bar and hoisted ourselves a uckin' few. After careful uckin' consideration, we decided what we really wanted to uckin' do was get uckin' laid. So we went and found us a uckin' massage parlor; talked to the uckin' mamasan; gave her some uckin' P; she brought out her uckin' girls. uckin' number-one sik lou girls. I picked out a uckin' girl, we went behind the uckin' curtains, took off our uckin' clean uckin' fatigues, laid down on the uckin' mats—and we made love.

An excerpt from "The Actors Book of Contemporary Stage Monologues." The "U" has been whitened out.

Lewd Book Being Reviewed

A Salem Junior High student's parent has challenged the school because of the book, accidentally issued to a 9th grade drama class, contains racial slurs, profanity and lewd descriptions of sexual encounters. The book has been recalled by the principal and is in the process of being evaluated by school officials.

DUI Arrests Increase; Traffic Deaths Decrease

By Karen Dalrymple
Staff Writer

Sergeant Paul Lanteigne, of the Virginia Beach Police Department's selective enforcement team, said the police may make more DUI arrests over the Christmas holidays than any other time of the year.

From January 1988 to the end of October, 2,910 DUI arrests were made; 692 more than 1987.

"We're up about 31% over last year," Lanteigne said.

Lanteigne explained that the selective enforcement team, whose duty is to seek out and arrest those driving under the influence, is making more arrests now because of its training.

"We're training officers in standardized field sobriety testing," Lanteigne said.

The method of DUI testing, which was approved by the highway safety administration, includes a standard walk and turn test, the one leg stand and a horizontal gaze hystagmus. The latter method is used to prove that a driver is enhanced by alcohol if his eyes bounce when following an object,

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Police Chief Charles Wall selected the enforcement team, whose work hours are from 8 p.m. to 4 a.m., in 1987. Its primary task is to detect drunk drivers and reduce fatalities, according to Lanteigne.

"Anyone stopped for a traffic violation is carefully scrutinized," he said.

Precinct officers, as well as the selective enforcement team, are trained to make arrests. Lanteigne said, out of the three precincts in the city, the most arrests are made within the second precinct, which includes the oceanfront area, up to London Bridge and as far as Dam Neck.

According to Lanteigne, when a driver is arrested for driving under

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Beer-Making Club Is Brewing At The Beach

By Karen Dalrymple
Staff Writer

The Hampton Roads Brewing and Tasting Society will meet Wednesday, Dec. 7 at 7:30 p.m. at the Virginia Brewing Company, formerly Chesbay Brewing, at 1373 London Bridge Road.

The 20-member club specializes in learning how to make beer and ale at home. Ron Young, treasurer and publicity chairman of the club said it has speakers, watches videos and takes tours and field trips to learn more about brewing.

"We all enjoy the hobby of making beer at home," he said.

Young said beer can be made several ways, including using malt extracts or the grain itself.

"There's so many different recipes for making beer," Young said.

Young explained the beer-making process. First, the brew must boil. Once it cools down, yeast is added, then put into a container. The brew must ferment for five to ten days, then it's ready to be bottled or kegged.

Although some beers take longer to reach their peak, "it can be ready to drink in two to three weeks."

"Beer is kind of like liquid bread. There's no reason for storing beer for years. You drink it when it's fresh and at its best," Young said.

He added that the variety of beers available to make is endless and

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that a good beer can be made to suit anyone's taste.

"That's the beauty of making, experimenting and enjoying what you make," said Young.

Young said he hopes the small club expands in the future. He said it is not hard to find out about the club. It is listed in "Zmurgy," a brewing magazine; known at brewing supply stores; in advertisements in the newspaper and heard of by word of mouth.

"We're interested in anyone to drop by one of our meetings," he said.

The club, which holds its meetings the first Wednesday of every month, has met at various locations such as Wine and Cake Hobbies, British Accents, The Red Coral Cafe and Lockhart's Restaurant.

"We want to add a little variety to our meeting places," said Young.

Young said the club doesn't

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Employees Dress Dolls



Photo by Greg Goldfarb

City employees who made dolls, left to right, standing, included: Loretta Cassanos, Martha Cesil and Noemi Rodgers. Kneeling, left to right are: Linda Spivey, Shelley Bishop, Keena Odum, Debbie Yancy, Glenda Ross, Lillie Tatem, Lynda Jennette, Undra Cooper. Standing at left, left to right are: Donna Vaughan, Cheryl Childress, Gail Johnson, Ellie Merry, Virginia Beach Mayor Meyera Oberndorf, in front of the Christmas tree outside city manager's office, holding a doll, Kathleen Hassen, Caran Jeffreys, Diane Hoyer, Audrey Johnston, Robin Brandberg, Nam Holme, Bob Hayes, Deborah Anderson, Jacquelin Caldwell, Vicki Black, Eve Hoggard and Margaret Mumpower.

City Employees Dress Dolls For Needy Children

City of Virginia Beach employees dressed 200 dolls to be given away at Christmas. The Salvation Army supplied the dolls and collected them to distribute to the children. See mayor's column, page 3.

Leukemia Society To Raise \$2,000 At Annual 5K Run

By Karen Dalrymple
Staff Writer

The Virginia Chapter of the Leukemia Society expects to raise \$2,000 from its sixth annual 5K Run Saturday, Dec. 12 at the Fort Story gymnasium.

According to Jill Dennin, assistant executive director for the Leukemia Society, the money will benefit the society's medical research programs. Some of the money will support two \$145,000 research grants at the University of Virginia Medical School and the Medical College of Virginia.

The remainder of the funds support the Leukemia Society's patient financial aid program. Approximately 400 patients in Virginia will receive up to \$750 per year for

drug therapies and transportation.

"We only know about the people who ask for aid," said Dennin.

Two hundred and fifty runners are expected to participate in the run, which begins at 10 a.m. Runners of all ages will enter, with the "bulk" age groups being 20 to 29 and 40 to 49 years old, Dennin said.

"It's everybody," Dennin said.

All entrants are eligible to participate in a drawing for "a weekend for two in Rehoboth Beach, Del."

Awards and trophies will be presented to the top three finishers in each age group and the top three men and women finishers.

The pre-entry fee for the 5K Run is \$7; the day of the race registration is \$9. Entry forms are available at area running stores.

Jaycees Hold Shopping Spree For Children

By Karen Dalrymple
Staff Writer

The Virginia Beach Jaycees hope to raise at least \$2,000 for its sixth annual Christmas Shopping Tour to be held Tuesday, Dec. 20 at Zayre department store, Virginia Beach Boulevard and Witchduck Road.

The Jaycees are seeking donations from businesses and individuals to take these economically disadvantaged children shopping.

According to Jaycees Public Relations Director, Ana Nabra, ap

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Personality Profile

Vaughan Is Cut Out For Life On The Farm

By Karen Dalrymple
Staff Writer

"I can't think of anywhere else I'd rather live," Donna Vaughan, pre-audit supervisor in the comptroller's office in the city's finance department, said of her family's farm in Back Bay.

Raised in the Bayside area of the city, 41-year-old Vaughan was introduced to farm life when in 1965 she married Robert Vaughan, the city's commissioner of revenue. The Vaughans dated for a few years before marrying, and Vaughan recalled writing letters because telephone calls from Bayside to Back Bay were long distance then.

One year later, Vaughan applied

for a job in the finance department.

"I came to work with the city of Virginia Beach as a newlywed," she said. "It was so contrived back then; my husband came on the interview with me to see if this was the kind of place he wanted me to work."

In 1967, Vaughan's husband was drafted, so they spent three years in Germany. Vaughan went back to work at the finance department when they returned to the area.

"I've left and come back and left and come back," she said. "I've been here full time since 1971."

Vaughan, who started out as account clerk one and worked her way up, is responsible for paying the city's bills. Along with ten other employees, Vaughan audits vouch-

When not at work, Vaughan spends her time tending to the hogs, sheep, lamb, chickens, cats, dogs and a goat named Elvira, that occupy the family farm.

ers and processes paper work and bills. Vaughan credits her knowledge of finance to an old supervisor, who "trained me right."

When not at work, Vaughan spends her time tending to the hogs, sheep, lamb, chickens, dogs, cats and a goat named Elvira, that occupy the family farm. Vaughan, who was not brought up in the country, has come to love the rural life. She said it's also a great place to raise her three sons.

"Everybody pitches in for everything; that makes it special,"

Vaughan said.

For over 20 years, Vaughan has been active in 4-H. She is currently in charge of the largest 4-H group in Virginia Beach, which has 69 members, ages nine through nineteen. In 1987, Vaughan was honored as an alumni, based on being a "4-H'er." The group performs community services such as providing food baskets for the needy, collecting canned goods and holding farm petting zoos at various locations, including her own home. She brings the children to

her farm to pet and learn about the animals.

"We take them on little hay rides," Vaughan said.

Vaughan recently coordinated a project, sponsored by the 4-H, to help needy children at Christmas. Vaughan acquired dolls from the Salvation Army in June and had city employees sign-up to dress the dolls by Nov. 1.

"The people enjoyed seeing the dolls and the different ways people dressed them," she said.

Vaughan is also a member of the Farm Bureau Women's Committee, which "tries to promote agriculture in Virginia Beach. That's our main goal."

For the past 20 years, Vaughan has taught Sunday school at the



Donna Vaughan

Charity United Methodist Church, where she is currently working with

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1989 Boardwalk Art Show In The Works

It may seem like you were just at this year's Boardwalk Art show, but believe it or not, preparations for next year's show are in the works.

The Virginia Beach Arts Center is gearing up for the 1989 show by announcing that applications are now available for artists interested in participating in the 34th annual event.

The Boardwalk show, scheduled for June 15 through 18, 1989, is traditionally well attended, with 1988 crowds and sales well over \$650,000. This year the art show enjoys innovations planned to bring to the event more serious art buyers.

The show remains on the boardwalk, but in a location that is more attractive, secure and accessible. There will be additional parking and street access and attempts to negotiate hotel discounts for artists are being made.

This is primarily a show for fine artists, not for commercialism. Applicants work must be original, created by the applicant and of professional quality. Anyone whose artwork meets this criteria is encouraged to apply. Participation will be limited to 350 artists in 10 categories such as oils/acrylics, watercolors, graphics, drawings, sculpture, mixed media, clay, fine crafts, jewelry and photography.

For purposes of jurying, six slides, including one of your entire body of work on display, must accompany the application. There is a non-refundable entry fee of \$15 and each space is \$125 for a 10' x 10' area.

Anyone with artistic talents should consider participating. This art show could open the door to a promising career as an artist. - K.L.D.

Send A Holiday Message By Amateur Radio

Many women in Virginia Beach will spend Christmas alone this year because their military husbands are away. It may sometimes be too difficult to communicate by phone, so couples get into the habit of letter writing.

Families have also relocated to this area, leaving relatives and home towns behind. This Christmas, those who are away from their loved ones, have the chance to give them a special Christmas present. The Virginia Beach Amateur Radio Club is making it possible to send holiday messages to anyone in the United States, Canada and Puerto Rico.

Messages will be sent by amateur radio to an amateur radio operator located near the addressee. The radio operator will deliver the greeting by phone. This would be ideal for those who can't afford to make their own long distance phone calls.

The Christmas Message Center, which will be located at Pembroke Mall, is also used to attract newcomers to the hobby of amateur radio. Interested people can sign up at the message center. There are no age limits and those who pass the exam are issued a novice license by the Federal Communications Commission.

There are currently 10,000 amateurs radio operators in Virginia. Amateur radio comes in handy for Navy spouses who are able to talk to their mates at sea from their homes.

There is no limit on the number of messages a person can send at the message center. Surprise a family member or long lost friend; send them a holiday message by radio. - K.L.D.

Shop Sensibly During The Holidays

Well, it's official. Christmas season has begun and shoppers are in full force. There's so much to look forward to; crowded malls with no parking spaces, long check out lines and children nagging to get their picture taken with Santa Claus.

This year, prepare yourself for Christmas shopping. Before you head for the mall, sit down and make a list of who wants what. Knowing what you're looking for saves lots of time and money. Don't forget to check several stores for the best price.

Speaking of money, don't spend what you don't have. Think ahead about all the bills that will be due after the holidays. Keeping that in mind, shop sensibly and wait until next year to splurge on elaborate gifts.

If you plan on paying for Christmas presents with a credit card, be careful. We tend to get carried away with the plastic and before we know it, we've gone over our limit. Try to pay with cash, it's easier to keep track of.

Before you pay for any gifts, make sure they are returnable or refundable. Also, hang onto your receipts, or you'll be stuck with a handful of gifts that are the wrong size.

Remember, the holiday season can be hectic, so be careful driving and watch your money. It would be a shame to ruin such a festive time with a tragedy. - K.L.D.

Take Lewd Books Out Of The Classroom

Someone's mother finally decided to take an interest in what her child was studying in school. Well, one mother was shocked when she found out.

A Salem Junior High School drama class was issued a book, which contained racial slurs, profanity and lewd sexual encounters. This is the last thing a 15-year-old should be reading in school. They hear enough of it outside of the classroom.

One can not get the full impact of this until he reads the book. Some of the passages are down right pornographic.

All copies of the book have been recalled by the principal and are under investigation right now. School officials will decide if the book is suitable for student use. Right on! - K.L.D.

Letters To The Editor

AARP Gives Thanks For New Volunteers

Editor:
We do want to thank you for helping us to recruit new volunteers for our Tax-Aide for the Elderly program this fall.

Your announcements in The Virginia Beach Sun generated quite a few responses and we were able to add several well qualified people to our rolls this year.

We are ready to open up our Tax-Aide sites in February.
James Gorry
Sea Pines Court

Ex-Military Wives Deserve Medical Care

Editor:
I write to tell the public that those who make military medical-care policy have now arranged to have their friends in Congress enact into law a statute that will deny a long-term military wife continued military medical care if divorced after Jan. 1, 1988.

For those long-term military wives who lose this valuable benefit after years of service as a military wife, they now are offered the opportunity to buy "cheap" insurance from Mutual of Omaha. (To remind the public, the average ex-military spouse is about 52 years of age and has been married about two decades.)

To give examples of the military member's definition of "cheap" insurance, the following yearly rates are: For a non-smoking 52-year-old female, the cost is \$1,794.36 per year; for a smoker, \$1,942.20.

When you remember that ex-military spouses have average incomes of about \$7,000 per year, you can see that a non-smoker 64 years of age pays almost 28% of her before tax income just for medical care that she earned and was promised for serving as a military wife. (Remember all those glowing ads promising military wives health care, among other things, for serving the "toughest job in the military.")

One of the ways the "Brass" wants to improve health care is by pruning the military health care rolls so that a man has only one wife on the rolls. But the "Brass" wants whoever is legally married to the member to be the one, rather than the wife who served (if a

choice has to be made.)

So, the military members have now arranged to have it their way again in the "throw-away military wife" battle. To recapitulate, the long-term wife who earned medical care by serving is removed from the military health care rolls to make room for her replacement who may never have served a day as a military wife.

I agree with the military members' line of reasoning that only one wife of a military member should be entitled to health care at public expense; but I believe it should be the one who earned it by serving the public as a military wife, not the one who just took the trouble to marry a retired member. I believe those second wives, married after retirement, are the ones Mutual of Omaha should be selling the insurance to. (Also, I bet they are much better able financially to pay for it, since all too often they are also enjoying the long-term wife's pro-rata share of the pension as well as her health care benefits.)

Frankly, I don't believe many smart young medical wives are going to buy that denigration of their role as military wife by those same people who, out of the other side of their mouths, tell them how important they are. I don't believe that young, potential medical wives are dumb enough to fall for dishonest promises that are kept only if the marriage remains intact.

In fact, I think young medical wives have obviously been voting with their feet against that type of Neanderthal thinking that proposes "cheap insurance" for them if di-

vorced, while giving full coverage to wives who have only taken the trouble to marry a divorced, retired military member. They are voting against that system by running, not walking, away from serving as military wives. And they have taken a lot of potentially fine military medical officers with them.

Who do the "Brass" think they are kidding? Tragically, only themselves. Chains of command and flow charts are not what make a great medical corps. People do, and at the top of the list are physicians. Don't forget, physicians are usually married. That means there are two in the partnership -- the medical officer and the wife who supports his career.

So far as Congress is concerned, the military wife is almost invisible. Let me respectfully suggest that Congress open its eyes before

it is too late. Acknowledge that the military wife is a real person who actually exists and vitally contributes to the defense of the United States. Acknowledgement means more than sweet words. It means enacting into law statutes that five the military wife some measure of protection if the marriage breaks up after many years. Only then, and not a day sooner, will they see competent medical corps officers coming back into the once glorious military medical service.

Betty June Myers
Fort Nelson Towers

Special Report

DAR Welcomes 102 New American Citizens

By Virginia W. Austin
Special To The Sun

On Nov. 22 the nation was remembering the tragic death of President John F. Kennedy 25 years earlier. It was also a date that will long be remembered by those petitioners who took their Oath of Citizenship and became American citizens that day.

The Honorable Richard B. Kellam, Judge for the United States District Court Eastern District of Virginia, presided at this extra naturalization court to take care of the large backlog of petitions. Raymond A. Jackson, executive assistant to the United States Attorney, made the motion that the 102 petitioners, including four children, be granted citizenship following their oath-taking.

Each stood and gave his or her name and country of origin. Their previous lands circled the globe. Twenty-nine countries were represented from the French West Indies

to Viet Nam, China, Ireland, Ethiopia, to Iran. The largest number had called the Philippines home.

Forty of these new citizens reside in Virginia Beach. One young man, Reuben Antonio, is in the 9th grade at Salem Junior High School. He was born in Italy before his father became naturalized and was looking forward to a special Thanksgiving this year as an American citizen.

For an alien to become a United States citizen, he must take an oath of allegiance, not to the flag nor the government nor the president, but to the Constitution. Similar oaths are required when one enters military or public service. No formal rite of citizenship has existed for rank and file Americans.

To bridge this long standing gap, Chairman Warren E. Burger and the Federal Commission on the U.S. Constitution have developed a voluntary citizen oath, as follows: "I

do solemnly swear that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and that I will well and faithfully discharge my duties and responsibilities as a citizen of the United States." Now

all citizens have an opportunity to exercise patriotism by publicly supporting the Constitution.

The welcome ceremony for those naturalized on Nov. 22 was arranged by Mrs. William Harry Austin, Jr., coordinator of naturalization ceremonies for the Tidewater Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) Regents Club, which provided the American Flags for the new citizens. Others who participated in this event were Virginia Beach residents representing various DAR Chapters - Mrs. Milton W. Thorpe, Adam Thoroughgood Chapter; Mrs. Charles D. Nixon, Francis Land Chapter and Mrs. Rice M. Youell, Lynnhaven Parish Chapter.

People Have Responsibility To Report S.S.

By Jewell Shipley,
Field Representative,
Social Security Administration

Virginia Beach residents who get Social Security retirement, survivors, or disability checks have an important responsibility to report

any happenings that could have an effect on their continued eligibility or the amount of their check. Please see Social Security, page 8

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Green Line May Be Moved South

By Lee Cahill
City Council Reporter

Consultants have recommended a reception area for transferred development rights which would in effect move the "green line" farther south.

At a work session, consultants Roger, Golden and Halpern proposed a "blue line" which, if adopted, Councilman John A. Baum said, would actually become the new green line.

The area between the blue line and the green line, or roughly between Indian River and Princess Anne Roads, would become the reception area for the transferred development rights.

The Transfer of Development Rights (TDR) is being considered by council as a way to allow property owners in the southern more rural areas of the city to realize some return on property that by right can be developed. Approximately 6,000 homes south of the green line fall into this category, but Councilwoman Barbara Henley said that the number could swell to 15,000 with use permits.

The area designated by the consultants, she said, would be more than sufficient to accommodate all of these properties, although property owners would be under no obligation to sell development rights.

Consultants have recommended a density of four units per acre for the reception area. Agricultural property now can be developed along existing roads on one or more acres, depending on the capacity of the soil to support septic tanks.

The advantage to the city would be the prevention of continued sprawl which taxes the roads and schools in the rural communities.

Before council can do anything, however, the General Assembly will have to approve enabling legislation. TDR is included among the proposed charter changes scheduled for a public hearing tentatively for Dec. 12.

Henley said that before council can develop an ordinance, it has to have the enabling legislation, but "this does not necessarily mean that we will adopt a TDR ordinance."

She said that it is important that the city be granted authority in the 1989 session because a decision has to be made this year. Otherwise, the hop scotch development will continue and it will be too late to do anything.

The consultants will be here on Dec. 8 for meetings with representative groups, she said, adding that it is unfortunate that the city does not have a longer time to have more dialogue.

The advantages to the developer are that he will be permitted to build at a higher density than is presently permitted and use plan and he can convert the development rights from a dwelling unit to commercial, hotel or industrial space.

The market will set the prices, she said. For instance, if an average house at the beach sells for \$75,000, 20 percent of that may be considered the land cost, or \$15,000 for the development rights. However, it can be more or less, depending on the market, and the property owners can always hold on to their property.

Consultants considered using land north of the green line and also a village concept with reception areas in Pungo, Creeds and Munden Point. The latter plan, however, would tax rural services.

The area chosen at the edge of the green line, already is served by more adequate roads and more improvements are planned.

At present, developers use rezoning as a way to achieve more dense development. With TDR they will be required to purchase development rights.

Watts Gets Salary Increase

Aubrey V. Watts Jr., who took over as city manager a year ago, has been granted a \$3,750 increase in salary, to \$93,750, a \$5,000 bonus, an increase in his car allowance from \$400 to \$450 a month and a five-year contract which expires Nov. 30, 1993.

In making the motion for the salary adjustment, Vice Mayor Robert E. Fentress said that Watts has served the council and the city well and that it was the feeling of council to increase his salary effective Dec. 1. The first of December will also be the date for the annual review of his salary.

Op-ed

City Employees Give Gifts To The Community



The Mayor's Report

Virginia Beach Mayor,
The Honorable
Meyera Oberndorf

Too old to play with dolls? Not the Virginia Beach city employees. Playing, however, far from describes what is actually taking place. Earlier this year, courtesy of the Salvation Army, 200 dolls clad only in the barest of necessities were delivered to City Hall. Donna Vaughan of the finance department spreads the word as she has in years past.

Soon all the dolls had been collected by city workers to be dressed lovingly and lavishly and returned in time to brighten the holiday season for needy children. If you have visited the City Hall building recently, perhaps you have seen them reclining in their finery outside the city manager's office. If not, you'll have the opportunity when they go on display this month at the Great American Outlet Mall.

The members of the CHEF committee have holiday giving on their minds also. Since its inception in 1983, CHEF (City Hall Employees Fund) has donated over \$16,000 for various charitable purposes. Major recipients have included Meals on Wheels of Virginia Beach, Inc., the Virginia Beach Social Services Department - Holiday Projects, the Virginia Beach Christian Outreach Group, the Danny Brown Family and Emergency Coronary Care.

CHEF obtains its funds from a percentage of the profits derived from the vending machines in the City Hall Building. So, the next time you're in the building to attend a meeting of city council or to purchase a city decal or dog license, take a pause that refreshes with the knowledge that you'll be helping to provide hot meals to the elderly and disabled, holiday

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food and gifts to needy families, and shelter for the homeless.

Throughout the Municipal Center complex, various city departments and groups will this year continue their tradition of remembering those who need a helping hand during the holiday season. At police headquarters, employees are depositing canned goods and staples in a box destined for holiday giving. The police dispatchers, too, will be sponsoring a needy family, as will the Police Sergeant's Association whose members will distribute food and toys during the week prior to Christmas; their efforts are being coordinated by Sergeant Nicholas Sitarski.

Various divisions of the Finance Department have fund drives underway; for example, the Purchasing Division is planning to gladden the heart of a four-year old from Hope Haven. Employees of the Traffic Engineering Division, working through Social Services, have "adopted" a family for the entire holiday season. At Thanksgiving they delivered everything that was necessary to fill their holiday table, and prior to Christmas they will repeat the effort by shopping for and delivering food and gifts for the entire family.

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Librarians Have Become Teachers Of Learning



The VBEA Report

By Claire Polley,
President of the VA Beach
Education Association

This week's article was submitted by Lisa Guthrie, librarian, Fairfield Elementary.

American Education Week was observed recently in order to recognize the achievements accomplished through our educational process.

As we prepare to enter the twenty-first century, life demands that we view education as a never-ending, lifelong process. School libraries are trying to meet the demands of the learning process. Librarians recognize the fact that we cannot possibly teach everything a student will ever need to know. Therefore, teaching a child "how to learn" becomes more important than ever before.

Learning to use a library is a very necessary component of becoming literate. Shortly after children learn to read, they realize that libraries can offer them reasons to read. If given the appropriate guidance and resources, a child soon learns the "joy of discovery." Worlds of literature, science, and other lands come alive and begin to thrive in a child's awareness.

New school library guidelines for the school system called "Information Power" were issued last April and address the true integration of library skills into the whole learning process. Roles of librarians have been redefined as teachers of learning.

It will take increased funding and considerable time and effort to fully implement this new concept of school libraries. Everyone from the general public to school administrators to school librarians themselves are still trying to adjust to the idea that libraries are places where learning is actively taking place.

Most importantly, by libraries providing current and accurate information, students of any age can come to a greater understanding of this complex world in which we live and now they may do their part to make it a little better.

If the role of the librarian is shifting from babysitter and book warehouse supervisor, then the very substance of the school library itself is evolving. Students need to view the library as a key to needed information about the outside world. Gone should be the days of dusty shelves and obsolete encyclopedias. We owe our children much more than that. Students sometimes

have more in the way of technology at home than what they are exposed to at school because parents recognize the need to invest in computers and other tools to a well-rounded education. The workplace for which we are preparing our children is constantly on the move and demands that graduates have the skills to enter and the desire to grow with their chosen vocation.

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Education - Our Best Weapon In "The War On Drugs"



By Lillian Youell,
Virginia Beach Constitution
Celebration Commission
Consultant

This week we remember "the day that will live in infamy." The sudden explosion of bombs on Pearl Harbor that quiet Sunday morning, Dec. 7, 1941, catapulted the United States into World War II. That devastating sneak attack left death and destruction in its wake.

Today, we are again a complacent nation. Yet another insidious enemy is threatening us. Vicious drugs are bombarding the nation from every direction. We survived Pearl Harbor because its impact galvanized the country's will to resist and prevail. But unless we muster an effective defense soon, the deadly foe of drugs within our borders will destroy us by implosion.

"The problem of how a free society should deal with drug use and abuse remains unresolved despite years of bitter dispute and a century of efforts at government control. The modern world seems unable to form a consensus or even a consistent attitude about the subject," writes James Bakalar in the book, "Drug Control in a Free Society."

Now that our children are "at risk," the nation is waking up to this problem. Although the use of drugs by students has declined somewhat, the 1988 Gallup Youth Survey reported that students consider this their number one concern for the third year in a row. School problems in 1940 were, talking in class, chewing gum and running in the halls. Today, school problems are drugs, alcohol, teenage pregnancy and weapons.

The National Law-Related Education (LRE) seminar, held recently in Orlando, Fla. attracted some 200 people, representing such diverse fields as sociology, history, criminology, public health, juvenile justice, law en-

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forcement, drug counseling and school administration. Because a large percentage of delinquent behavior has been linked to drug use and abuse, the seminar focused its attention on this problem.

A round table discussion explored the historical background and rationale for drug use in contemporary American culture. This Issues Forum, "Perspectives on the Culture of Drugs," convinced me that the drug problem is extensive, alarming and ongoing. Thus, I want to share my notes from that session of the seminar.

Obviously, a balance is needed between enforcement to keep drugs away from kids and education to keep kids away from drugs. In Florida, a 16 year old selling drugs is treated as an adult and charged with a felony. Nancy Roberts, counselor with the Center for Drug-Free Living in Orlando, explained that students caught with drugs at school are suspended and must sign a "contract" for a treatment program. The parents too must cooperate and participate. Otherwise, the juvenile faces other sanctions.

Several panelists pointed out that, except for drunk driving, the community is naturally more concerned with kids' drug use than with adults' use.

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Community News

Jaycees

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proximately 65 needy children, ages five to 12, will sign up for a night of shopping.

"We solicit to social services," Nahra said.

Sign-up sheets will be posted at social services, where the children fill in their name, address, parents name and other personal information. Nahra said on many occasions, parents come in for welfare and pick up a permission slip, which must be signed before the child can participate.

Each Jaycee member is assigned to a child, who will be picked up at his house. From 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., the child has the opportunity to shop for his family members. Last year, each child was given \$25.

"We're trying to increase this year's," Nahra said. "We help them select the gifts."

After the shopping spree, the Jaycees will throw a Christmas party for the children at the Jaycee's meeting house on Holland Road. Santa Claus will pay the children a visit, bringing each child a gift of their own.

"This is the time we need to share with others," Nahra said.

The Jaycees are seeking contributions from businesses and individuals to take these economically disadvantaged children shopping. The Jaycees do not benefit from any of the money donated, except to give the children "a sense of giving."

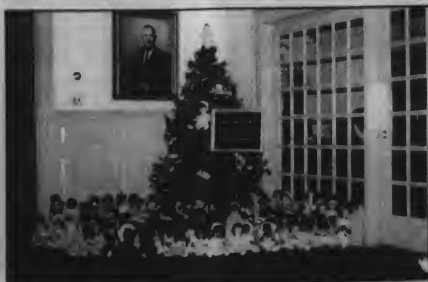
"We want to instill in them the Christmas spirit," Nahra said.

DAR Holds Christmas Dec. Meeting

Francis Land Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will sponsor a colonial Christmas for its Dec. 10 chapter meeting.

The meeting will be held at the historic Francis Land House at 10 a.m.

Kristen Lynn Chaney, daughter of Jay and Richard Chaney of Poquoson, from Christopher Newport College, will be the guest soloist. Chaney has studied music for eight years and will sing songs about the festive season of Christmas.



Photos by John Perry

Councilman John L. Perry photographed the 200 dressed dolls that sat around the Christmas tree outside the City Manager's office.



More dolls lined up along the wall.

Fleet Reserve Holds Meeting

Kempsville Unit 99, Ladies Auxiliary of the Fleet Reserve Association, will hold its scheduled monthly meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 14 at 206 Jersey Avenue.

All members and potential members are encouraged to attend. Items of interest to be discussed will be the changes to the unit bylaws and standing rules, also final preparations for the branch and unit Christmas party to be held on Dec. 10 commencing at 6:30 p.m. will be discussed.

Refreshments will be served following the meeting. For more information call 474-2007.

DAR Holds Dec. Meeting

Adam Thoroughgood Chapter of The Daughters of the American Revolution will hold the December meeting on Thursday, Dec. 15 at 11:30 a.m.

The meeting is historical in

theme and will be held at Little Creek Officers' Club - Gate 5. Reservations must be made by December 8 with the club treasurer, Mrs. C. Brockmyer. The cost is \$8.25 per person.

At the November meeting, held Nov. 17, John Fahey spoke to the group on the Russian people. He gave an informative and knowledgeable talk on "perestroika" and the way Russian people live today.

Regent Lynette Aasheim opened the general meeting by announcing the Chapter's Outstanding American History Teacher. She is Linda Allen of Great Neck Junior High School.

A.R.E. Holds Reception

An informal reception, open to the public and honoring seven authors whose books about Edgar Cayce and his work have just been published, will be held on Thursday, Dec. 15 from 7:30 to 10 p.m. at the Association for Research and Enlightenment Visitor Center, 67th Street and Atlantic Avenue.

FotoMats Hold Book Sales

The Hampton Roads Easter Seal Society will benefit from coupon entertainment book sales from the FotoMat Corporation. Thirty FotoMat stores in the Hampton Roads area will sell the books for a discounted \$30 and donate \$6 to Easter Seals for each book sold.

The promotion will be held until February 1989. For further information, call FotoMat at 857-0118.

Family Storytime At Central Library

Storyteller Susan Corbitt is scheduled to entertain children ages five and up and their families with stories at the Central Library on Saturday, Dec. 17 at 10:30 a.m.

Registration required. For more information and to register, call the library at 431-3070.

Adult Reading Club At Central Library

The monthly meeting of the adult reading club will meet on Tuesday, Dec. 13 at 7 p.m. at the Central Library in the second floor storytime room.

Registration is required. For more information and to register, call 431-3070.

CLASP Holds Business Meeting

CLASP (Citizens Loving All Special People) will hold its monthly business meeting Monday, Dec. 12, at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Harry & Juanita Baird, 3900 Rumford Lane.

All voting members are highly encouraged to attend. All other interested persons are also invited to attend.

For further information call Harry Baird at 486-3110.

Christmas Cookery At Central Library

A chef from Johnson & Wales College will be at the Central Library on Wednesday, Dec. 7 at 7 p.m. A demonstration on the preparation of special foods for the holiday season will be presented to participants.

Howick Plays for JU Volleyball

Holly Howick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Howick of Clemford Drive, is an outside hitter for the Jacksonville University volleyball team this year. This is her fourth year on the team.

Howick is a senior majoring in physical education. She is a 1985 graduate of Fletcher High School in Jacksonville.

Parents Without Partners Host Dance

Parents Without Partners, Chapter 216, is hosting a dance at the Dan Neck Naval Training Center Officer's Club on Friday, Dec. 9 at 9 p.m.

Entertainment will be provided by Act-N-Up. Proceeds help finance the organization's family and children program. Admission is \$5 per person.

Saturday Movies At Oceanfront Library

"Lend A Paw," "Elmer Elephant," "Wonder Dog," "Sound Collector" and "All Early in the Morning" will be featured for children ages 3 and up on Saturday, Dec. 17 at 11 a.m.

For more information, call the Oceanfront library at 428-4113.

Life-Saving Museum Holds Open House

The Life-Saving Museum of Virginia will hold its open house Saturday, Dec. 10 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Admission to the museum and galleries is free, as are refreshments. Gift shop specials and new items will be on display for holiday shopping. Santa Claus will make a special appearance at 1 p.m.

Bugay On JMU Cross Country Team

Sabrina Bugay daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Bugay of Tapscott Court, competed for the James Madison University cross country team this fall.

Bugay, a sophomore, is a graduate of Green Run High School. JMU placed third in the team competition at the recent Colonial Athletic Association Championships.



Robert Field

Just A Chat

Name: Robert S. Field
Occupation: Tax accountant.
Neighborhood: Pungo.
Age: 25.
Marital status: Single.
Biggest accomplishment in your life: Surviving a two-year stint in Washington, D.C. to return to Virginia Beach.
Biggest mistake in your life: Not taking life serious enough at times.
What do you really like about your job: It allows me to use my ability to work in and around the rules of tax law.
If you could write a national newspaper column, what would your message be: Keep the faith in America.
What do you consider the meaning of success: Respect of your peers and those you provide service to.
If you received a million dollars tomorrow, what would you do with it: I'd invest it.
What's your idea of a fun evening: Going out to a rock and roll concert.
What's your idea of a fun weekend: New Year's Eve in New York City.
What's your best personality trait: Sense of humor.
What's your worst personality trait: I tend to be a little shy sometimes.
What's your dream vacation: Australia for two months.
What's your favorite time of the year and why: Summer - the beach.
What's your favorite day of the week and why: Saturday - no worries.
What's your favorite magazine: Sports Illustrated.
What's your favorite pet: My dog Zoso, a Saint Bernard.
Your dream car: A customized van.
Your favorite sport: Golf.
Your favorite sports team: Dallas Cowboys.
What's your pet peeve: People judging other people.
What do you like to do to relax after a hard day's work: Driving in a '75 Pontiac Grand Ville on the back roads of Pungo.
What's your favorite TV program: "Saturday Night Live"
Your favorite movie: "Arthur."
Your favorite entertainer: Pink Floyd.
What's your favorite food and drink: Shrimp and Budweiser longnecks.
What is your favorite restaurant: Steinhilber's.
What do you think is one of the biggest problems facing the world: Peace; not enough of it.
What do you think is one of the biggest problems facing Virginia Beach: Growth, too fast.
What do you like most about Virginia Beach: It's where I grew up.

Broad Bay Garden Club Presents "Christmas On Bay Island"

The Broad Bay Garden Club will present "Christmas on Bay Island," Wednesday, Dec. 7 from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver T. Farinholt, 2233 Windward Shore Drive.

The event will feature a country store, bake shop, Christmas wreaths and a collectibles shop.

One dollar donations will be taken at the door.

The event benefits the beautification of Virginia Beach and "Make a Wish," a voluntary organization to grant last wishes to terminally ill children in the area.

For more information call Brenda Stahl at 496-0634.

Holiday Concert AT Pavilion Theater

The Virginia Beach Pops, under the direction of Walter Noona, will present a pair of holiday concerts on Sunday Dec. 18, at 2:30 p.m. at 7:30 p.m., at the Pavilion Theater.

Guest soloists for this seasonal celebration will be "The Singing Boys of Pennsylvania," a professional group of boys, ages nine to thirteen, trained by Dr. Bernard Schade. They will perform Vaughn-William's "Wassail Songs," "The Snowman" by Blake, "A Christmas Medley" and "The sound of Music" arranged by Harris.

The Virginia Beach Pops, besides

accompanying its young guests, will perform Tchaikowsky's waltz from "Sleeping Beauty," Vaughn-William's arrangement of "Greensleeves" and Irving Berlin's all time favorite, "White Christmas."

These concerts are being sponsored by Turner/Harwood and the Arts and Humanities Commission of Virginia Beach.

Tickets may be purchased at the Pavilion box office at 428-8000. Ticket prices range from \$6 for students under 12 to \$15.

Sturm Performs AT Va. Wesleyan

Violinist Jonathan Sturm, a philosophy professor at Virginia Wesleyan College, will present a concert at the college on Friday, Dec. 9, at 8 p.m. in the Hofheimer Theater. The concert is free and open to the public, but reservations should be made by calling the college at 455-3200.

The program will include selections by Mozart, Bach, Brahms, Wieniawski, Kreutzer and Kroll.



Sturm

CLASP Holds Special Bingo Night

A bingo night for physically and mentally handicapped people will be held Saturday, Dec. 10, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. at the Bow Creek Recreation Center, 3427 Clubhouse Road.

The bingo night will be sponsored by the Pembroke Kiwanis Club, the Virginia Beach Department of Parks and Recreation, and CLASP (Citizens Loving All Special People).

Participation is free and is only

open to physically and mentally handicapped people. Refreshments will be served and bingo prizes will be given. Parents and guardians are welcome, however, chaperones are present at all times.

Transportation is available through TRT at \$5 per roundtrip per individual. Call Carolyn Wismer at 853-8789 after 7 p.m. weekdays or anytime weekends.

For further information call Harry Baird at 486-3110.

Seatack Seniors Hold Christmas Bazaar

The Seatack senior citizens will hold its annual Christmas Bazaar on Friday, Dec. 9 from 10 a.m. until 9 p.m. and Saturday Dec. 10 from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. at the Seatack Community Center.

People of all ages with a valid facility use card may participate. Table rental fee is \$5 per table.

The Seatack Community Center is located at 141 S. Birdneck Road. For additional information contact Bernadene Woodhouse at 428-5695

CBDA Holds Luncheon

The Central Business District Association will hold its December luncheon Wednesday, Dec. 7 from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Omni Virginia Beach.

John Keating, wine connoisseur, will be the guest speaker. Lawrence Maddry, columnist, will be the CBDA special guest.

DAV Hosts Vets Party

Disabled American Veterans, Virginia Beach Chapter 20, will host a Christmas party for veterans who are patients of the Virginia Beach Lynn Shores Manor Nursing Home and the Hampton Veterans Administration hospital on Dec. 17 and 18.

Public Notice

Take notice that on December 19, 1988, at 10:00 AM, at the premises of Tidewater Imports, Inc., DBA The Hall Auto Mall, 3152 Va. Beach Blvd., Va. Beach, Va., 23452, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash, reserving unto itself the right to bid, the following vehicles:

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Public Notice

The Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a Public Hearing on Wednesday, December 21, 1988, at 2:00 p.m., in the City Council chambers of the City Hall Building, Municipal Center, Virginia Beach, Virginia. The staff briefing will be held at 1:30 p.m., in the City Council Meeting Office. The following applications will appear on the agenda.

***PLEASE NOTE: IF NO ONE APPEARS BEFORE THE BOARD TO REPRESENT THE APPLICATION, THE VARIANCE COULD BE DENIED!**

REGULAR AGENDA:

Case 1: Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Wilson requests a variance of 5.5 feet to a 4.5 foot side yard setback (south side) instead of 10 feet as required (proposed handicapped ramp) on Lot 59, Section 1, Cavalier Park, 1104 Cedar Point Drive, Lynnhaven Borough. ZONING: R-10

Case 2: Amoco Oil company requests a variance of 179 square feet in land area to 19,821 square feet in area instead of 20,000 square feet of land area as required (Proposed Rezoning AG-2 to B-2 Commercial District) on a parcel, Back Bay Crescent Association, Inc., 2404 Seaboard Road, Princess Anne Borough. ZONING: AG-2 TO B-2

Case 3: Rufus G. Baldwin III requests a variance of 6 parking spaces to 0 parking spaces instead of 6 parking spaces as required (Proposed 1246 square foot retail establishment) on Lot 9, Block 50, Virginia Beach, 309 21st Street, Virginia Beach Borough. ZONING: RT-3

Case 4: Josephine G. Copley requests a variance of 150 square feet of floor area to 720 square feet of floor area instead 570 square feet of floor area as allowed for an accessory structure and 10 feet to a 5 foot side yard setback (east side) instead of 15 feet as required (Proposed detached garage) on Lot 452, Section 3, Pembroke Meadows, 824 St. Martin Drive, Bayside Borough. ZONING: R-20

Case 5: Lloyd K. Newman requests a variance of 15 feet to a 35 foot front yard setback instead of 50 feet as required (proposed dwelling) on Lot 120, Section 5, Broad Bay Estates, 2813 Ocean Mist Court, Lynnhaven Borough. ZONING: R-20

Case 6: Oceans II Condominium Owners Association requests a variance of 2.55 feet to a 2.45 foot setback from Atlantic Avenue instead of 5 feet as required (proposed

canopy) on Lot 1, Parcel A-3, Ocean II Condominium, 4005 Atlantic Avenue, Virginia Beach Borough. ZONING: RT-1

Case 7: Albert N. and Diana Jensen request a variance of 9 feet in lot width to 9 1/2 feet in lot width instead of 100 feet in lot width as required and of 1,047 square feet of

land area to 18,953 square feet in land area instead of 20,000 square feet of land area as required (proposed rezoning from R-5 to I-1) on a 7.826 Acre Parcel, Birdneck Area, 153 South Birdneck Road, Lynnhaven Borough. ZONING: R-5 (I-1)

Case 8: John V. Neill requests a variance of 7.85 feet to a 22.15 foot setback from Hen House Drive instead of 30 feet as required (proposed single family dwelling) on Lot 38, Section 2, Christopher Farms, 2008 Hen House Drive, Princess Anne Borough. ZONING: R-10

Case 9: Tidewater Capital corporation requests a variance of 37 parking spaces to 95 parking spaces instead of 132 parking spaces as required (office building) on Parcel 5, Pembroke area, Columbus Street and Kellam Road, Bayside Borough. ZONING: B-3

Case 10: Preston Greene requests a variance of 8 feet to a 2 foot side yard setback (west side) and of 7 feet to a 3 foot side yard setback (east side) instead of 10 feet each as required and of 675 square feet in floor area to 2,080 square feet of floor area instead of 1,575 square feet of floor area as allowed and to allow 71 percent in lot coverage instead of 35 percent in lot coverage as allowed and of 2 parking spaces to 2 parking spaces instead of 4 parking spaces as required (proposed (2) story duplex) on Lot 36, Block 8, Chesapeake Park, 4400 Block of Ocean View Avenue, Bayside Borough. ZONING: R-5R

Case 11: R.G. Moore Building Corporation requests a variance to allow perimeter drive aisles within the 15 foot minimum yard requirement along the northern, eastern and western property lines where prohibited and to waive the category IV landscape screening in the yard where required (proposed self storage facility) on a parcel, Glenwood, South Independence Boulevard at Salem Road, Kempville Borough. ZONING: B-2

Case 12: Robert F. Jordan requests a variance of 6 feet to a 4 foot side and rear yard setbacks (southwest corner) instead of 10 feet each as required (accessory building - storage shed) on Lot 23, Lynn Shores, 616 East Lynn Shores Circle, Kempville Borough. ZONING: R-15

Case 13: Witchduck One Partnership requests a variance of 21 feet to a 9 foot setback from Cleveland Street instead of 30 feet as required (proposed canopy) on a 1.965 Acre Parcel, Commerce Park, 5101 Cleveland Street, Bayside Borough. ZONING: I-1

Case 14: William and Kathleen Grothoff requests a variance of 9 feet to an 11 foot rear yard setback (south side) instead of 20 feet as required (proposed residential addition) on Lot 15, Block 2, Section 2, Windsor Woods, 3729 Starlighter Drive, Kempville Borough. ZONING: R-7.5

Case 15: Margot Disbrow re-

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Heather Kennedy with Thom Bierz.

Kennedy Teen Contest Finalist

Heather Kennedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kennedy of Bluecastle Court, was one of 12 grand finalists in the recent Miss Teenage America 1989 contest conducted by "Teen Magazine and held in Long Beach, Ca.

A sophomore at Cox High School, Kennedy, 15, was rewarded for her scholastic excellence, general awareness, individual accomplishments, community service, poise and personality, all attributes necessary to enter this prestigious achievement contest.

Sponsored by Propa P.H., Kmart Apparel and the Dep Corporation, the contest is in its 28th year of recognizing outstanding young women between the ages of 13 and 18. The twelve finalists, picked

from thousands of entries nationwide, were flown to California for a week of judging, interviews, modeling, sightseeing and shopping on glamorous Rodeo Drive in Beverly Hills. The contestants were headquartered on the luxurious Queen Mary in Long Beach.

A swimmer, a cheerleader, a runner, a dancer and an avid reader, Kennedy spends her days keeping active and involved. She is a member of Students Against Driving Drunk, Young Life and her church youth group. A language student, she is also a member of Cox High Spanish Club.

Kennedy hopes to attend Duke University just as her parents did, majoring in architecture or broadcasting.

Clean Community Commission Wins Clean Virginia Award

The Virginia Beach Community Commission has been presented with a Clean Virginia Award for its comprehensive litter prevention and recycling programs.

Top ranked communities who obtain the Governor's Award of

Excellence will receive road signs and plaques. Localities earning an award of merit, an award of recognition or certificate of appreciation will also be recognized.

Rev. Dale Asks For Funds For Homeless Coalition

The Rev. William Dale, chairman of the Virginia Beach Coalition for the Homeless, has asked council to make available community development funds to assist the poor who do not live in target neighborhoods.

Federal Community Development Block Grant funds have traditionally been used to provide improvements such as roads, water and sewer in target neighborhoods, neighborhoods so designated because of the overall low-income of the residents.

Father Dale told council that some citizens are in need but are not in the target neighborhoods. Sewer and water, he said, are critical

wherever they live.

Specifically he asked that the city change its policies regarding the community development funds so that some of the funds could be used for shelter. He pointed out that there is a growing awareness of people who do not have adequate shelter, most of whom are women and children. He said transitional housing is needed for these people who are easily identifiable.

Father Dale added that he did not want his remarks to be divisive, but that housing is needed.

Father Dale spoke at a public hearing on the Community Development block Grant needs assessment.

Baggio And Cafritz Merge

John Baggio and Suzzette Cafritz Rea announce the merger of their companies, John Baggio and Associates and Media Rational.

The new agency, Baggio, Cafritz and Associates, will operate as a full service advertising media and

marketing communications agency but will focus on cost-effective production and media placement services. The agency will be located at 5520 Greenwich Road, formerly the offices of John Baggio and Associates.

Refuge Collects Entrance Fees

According to Refuge Manager Anthony D. Leger, the collection of entrance fees has resumed at Back Bay National Wildlife Refuge. Fees had been temporarily suspended in October due to the construction of a new Refuge entrance point and automatic gate.

The project, which is nearly completed, will greatly improve the appearance of the Refuge entrance and will provide for safe and efficient access to the area for Refuge visitors.

According to Leger, an honor system is in effect. Fees collected at both the main vehicular entrance point (located on Sandpiper Road) and on the beach. Daily fees are \$3 per private motor vehicle and \$1 for pedestrians and bicyclists.

Frequent visitors may purchase a \$10 Duck Stamp (Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation Stamp), which serves as a year-round (July -

June) refuge pass for the purchaser and accompanying passengers.

Other passes include the Golden Eagle Passport available for \$25 per year; the free life-time Golden Age Passport for those 62 years of age or older; and the free Golden Access Passport for those who are blind or otherwise disabled.

All passes, and the single visit permit, provide access for the permittee and his or her accompanying spouse, children, and parents. Children under age 16 are admitted free of charge. Passports are available at the Refuge from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Additional information on fees and Refuge activities can be obtained by writing to the Refuge Manager, Back Bay National Wildlife Refuge, P.O. Box 6286, Virginia Beach, Virginia 23456, or by phoning 804-721-2412.

Halloran Speaks About Elizabeth I

Dennis H. Halloran, director of Agecroft Hall in Richmond will deliver a slide-lecture presentation entitled "Great Houses of the Elizabethan Era" at the Central Library, 4100 Virginia Beach Boulevard, on Thursday, Dec. 8 at 7:30 p.m.

In his address, which is being supported with funding from the Virginia Foundation for the Hu-

manities and Public Policy (VFHPP), Halloran will examine the exteriors, interiors, and gardens of a number of well known and not so familiar houses of the Elizabethan era. Unlike her father and grandfather, Elizabeth I (1533-1603) was not a builder, and yet some of the most magnificent homes in England were built during her reign.

Dec. 14 from 5:30 to 11 p.m. at the historical Cavalier Oceanfront Hotel.

Mayor Meyera Oberndorf will be the guest speaker. Music will be provided by Gus Taylor. Cost of the dinner is \$20 per person.



Plaza Elementary School first graders (from left) Johanna VanArsdale, Lisa Stanley and Heather Davis portray Indians welcoming the pilgrims to the new world in the school's recent annual Thanksgiving play.

After their performance, the first graders and their parents feasted on turkey and the trimmings. (Photo by Gary Fullerton)

Plaza First Graders Celebrate Thanksgiving



Plaza Elementary School first grader Rachel VanSlyke samples turkey and the trimmings after she and other first graders performed the school's traditional Thanksgiving play recently.

The students then were joined by their parents for a Thanksgiving meal. (Photo by Gary Fullerton)

V.B. Chorale Presents Concert

The Virginia Beach Chorale, under the direction of Lou Sawyer, will start the holiday season on a happy note when it presents "A Joyful Celebration" on Sunday, Dec. 11 at 2:30 p.m. in the Virginia Beach Pavilion Theater.

The concert will feature a cantata by Young, Neilson, and Huff, "Song of Thanksgiving" with a professional orchestra and Lee Lively as the narrator. Traditional Christmas music, both sacred and secular will highlight the second half of the program.

Tickets are \$5 for adults, \$3 for students and senior citizens and may be obtained at the Pavilion Box Office, at the door, or from any chorale member.

Helfant Appointed Committee Liaison

Dorcas T. Helfant has been appointed committee liaison for the government affairs-related committees of the National Association of Realtors, the nation's largest trade association.

Helfant will assist seven of the association's national committees in establishing committee procedures and guidelines, and achieving committee goals. Government affairs committees include, among others, the Issues Mobilization, Political Affairs and Realtors Legislative Committees. Helfant is a former regional vice president and vice president and liaison to committees for the national association.

Thalia Garden Club Holds Party

Thalia Garden Club will hold its Annual Christmas Party Sunday, Dec. 11 at the Tidewater Dinner Theater. Social hour will be from 4 to 5 p.m., dinner from 5 to 6 p.m. and the musical, "It's A Wonderful Life," will begin at 6:30 p.m.

Guests of members are invited. For more information call Mrs. R.S. Early, 498-4162.

Kick Boxing Championship At Dome

A world kick-boxing championship will take place on Saturday, Dec. 10 at the Virginia Beach Dome. It will feature the No. 10 contender, Bubba Walters of Chesapeake, against the No. 1 contender, David Humphries of Kings Mountain, N.C. for the W.K.A.

(World Karate Association) Super Middleweight Championship 160-167 lbs.

The card will also feature the Women's United States Lightweight Championship 130-135 lbs. with Eileen Rakowski of Chesapeake. The boxing matches are also scheduled.

Century 21 Holds Christmas Raffle

The Hampton Roads Easter Seal Society will benefit from a Christmas tree raffle sponsored by Century 21 at the mall through Dec. 19.

Tickets will be sold for \$1 at the Pembroke Mall Century 21 booth

near center court for a beautiful completely decorated artificial Christmas tree.

For more information, call Century 21 at the mall at 497-8733. All proceeds will go to benefit Easter Seals.

AARP Chapter Formed In Virginia

Louise Crooks, national president of the American Association of Retired Persons, has announced the formation of the Kempville Chapter #4212. The new chapter's president is Gordon Morton.

Local AARP chapters sponsor community public service programs; work to influence the enactment of local, state and national legislation of benefit to older Americans; and acquaint members and other older citizens with the programs and services offered by the national organization.

With more than 28 million members, AARP is the nation's largest organization of Americans age 50 and older. Headquartered in

Washington, D.C., the nonprofit, nonpartisan organization offers a wide range of membership benefits, legislative representation at federal and state levels, and educational and community service programs carried out through a national network of volunteers and local chapters. The Association also offers a variety of educational and advocacy programs for older workers, who make up one-fourth of AARP's total membership.

For further information, write: AARP Volunteer and Field Services, 1909 K Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., 20049.

Council Amends Travel Rules

City council has amended its rules for travel by employees and members of council.

Among the amendments is the discouragement of overnight lodging in Williamsburg because it is so close.

Among other amendments, council travel will be coordinated through the city clerk's office, noon meals in Virginia Beach will be approved for specific functions and receipts for meals will be required for meals that are over \$10.

Dow Makes Rescue Squad

Jennifer Morgan Dow, daughter

of John I. and Helen F. Dow of Spring Valley, Calif., is a member of the volunteer student rescue squad at Lynchburg College, a private school in central Virginia.

A 1988 graduate of First Colonial High School, Dow contributes 96 hours each month to the 11-person squad, formed in 1976. The group is the primary source of emergency care for on campus incidents, and members receive training in CPR and other special care techniques such as cardiac treatment.

Navy Man Saves Infant From Fire

Airman Francis Wells has been recognized by city council for his courage in saving an infant from a

fire.

He was presented a Virginia Beach Lifesaver award from the Virginia Beach Safety Council by Mayor Meyera Oberndorf making him the second Navy man to receive the award.

On Sept. 29, Wells, of Tomcat Court, ran to a burning apartment at the request of two six-year-old twins who banged on his door. Learning that a baby was still in the apartment, he searched two bedrooms before he found the baby in her crib and brought her out. He entered a second time to see if anyone else was inside but was forced by heat and smoke to return outside.

Napolitano Named To IDSA Board

Pembroke Enterprises, Inc. announces that its chairman of the board, Frederick J. Napolitano, has been named to the Industrial Development Services Advisory Board.

Council Of Civic Organizations Hold Dinner

The Council of Civic Organizations will hold its 29th annual Christmas dinner on Wednesday,

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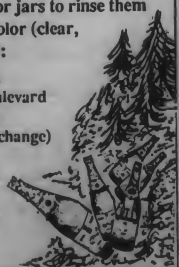
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Community News

Hall Becomes NAS Sailor Of The Quarter

By Annette Hall
Special To The Sun

The third nomination for command recognition during his 10-year Navy career turned out to be the "charm" and now Aviation Support Equipment Technician Second Class (ASM2) Daniel Hall is the current Naval Air Station Oceana Sailor of the Quarter.

Hall was a recent Aircraft Intermediate Maintenance Department (AIMD) Sailor of the Quarter and its nominee for the station title. Hall confides that he wasn't expecting selection since he has been here only six months.

When he returned to the Ground Support Equipment (GSE) Division where he works, Hall was questioned by his leading chief petty officer as to how the selection board interview went. Hall didn't know that the word had already been passed out that he was the winner and that the chief was priming him for the unexpected announcement. "Wow, I don't believe it," says Hall of his reaction when notified.

A Worcester, Mass. native, Hall joined the Navy at 18 for the challenge and to learn a trade. Early in his career he worked on yellow gear and decided that was the field he would pursue.

"As an aviation support equipment technician, I repair yellow gear which supports aircraft on the ground," explains Hall. "I fix equipment just like a mechanic out in town."

Yellow gear is used to tow aircraft in and out of hangars and to reposition aircraft out on the flight line. Some equipment is capable of making an aircraft work as if it were flying, only on the ground, so that aircraft systems can be checked and repaired.

At 28, Hall has recently moved from assistant to supervisor in the GSE shop.

"As a supervisor, I try to get as many tractors out the door (repaired) to support the squadrons and to provide on the job training for



Daniel Hall (left) explains to ASM2 Brian Ramsey the sequence of wire connections to the voltage regulator during engine repair of yellow equipment.

members of the shop," said Hall.

In what might be described as a busman's holiday, Hall's favorite form of entertainment off duty is to rebuild engines. His first venture cost \$100 for the engine. He tore it apart, had it bored, put in all new parts, and after putting it all back together, he says proudly, "I put it in my car."

Hall bought a house in June and always has visitors seeking his help to rebuild their engines. They like

the way I did mine and how it sounds," says Hall. He finds the time to play softball in the summertime for AIMD.

As Sailor of the Quarter, Hall receives two \$50 U.S. Savings Bonds, a free room for two at the Lynnhaven Lodge, dinner passes for two at Red Lobster, a luncheon at the Voyager Club with NAS Oceana Commanding Officer Captain Michael N. Matton, free dinner passes for two aboard the New Spirit and a command plaque presented by Captain Matton.

Watts Responds
To CIP IssuesBy Lee Cahill
City Council Reporter

In response to issues raised at workshops and public hearings on the proposed Capital Improvement Program, City Manager Aubrey V. Watts Jr. has recommended inclusion of the Southall Quarter drainage project at a cost of \$393,000.

Watts said that if the city had received the stormwater management study in time, this would have been a high priority project. He said the necessary funds would be transferred from existing funds within the stormwater management section.

Watts also proposed renaming the Courthouse Elementary School building, Pendleton/Courthouse School Building to reflect the anticipated uses of the building which has been discontinued as a

school. The project would involve the relocation of the Pendleton Center to the building, renovation and air-conditioning of the structure and providing office space to the schools for the educational planning center. The city has \$1 million available for this use, but this amount may have to be supplemented, Watts said.

Watts also proposed putting to better use the site of the Wadsworth Elementary School and acquiring another site in the General Booth corridor for the school. He has proposed establishing in the CIP, \$450,000 for land acquisition. The school construction would be on the 1989 referendum. As a use for the current site, he suggested a golf course.

By Lee Cahill
City Council Reporter

Two sick leave revisions and three employee recognition programs have been approved by Virginia Beach city council.

One sick leave provision will permit employees to use accrued sick leave for the illness of an employee's spouse or children residing in the household. A cap has been set at five days a year.

The second provision is for the payment for accrued sick leave at the time of retirement with the rate

Council Decides On \$8 Million Road
Bonds Or Losing Authority AltogetherBy Lee Cahill
City Council Reporter

At next week's council meeting city council will have to decide whether to authorize the sale of \$8 million in supplementary road bonds or lose the authority altogether.

Some council members recently indicated a reluctance to authorize the bonds because they will require a 2.1 cent real estate tax rate increase.

Dean Block, assistant city manager/budget, explained that council can authorize the \$8 million, but not use it until later, thus delaying a tax increase.

The General Assembly authorized the additional bond authority for roads for ten years for a total of \$64 million. However, the city is required to authorize the sale of the bonds each year, or lose the additional borrowing authority.

Councilwoman Barbara Henley said that she was not willing to raise taxes "until I know we can control growth. If we cannot do a decent job of managing growth, I will not raise taxes."

The road and park programs which together require a 2.8 cent tax increase were not included as part of the overall ten-year budget program, but as a supplemental program submitted by City Manager Aubrey V. Watts Jr.

Block said that council can authorize the bonds without identifying any project. The bonds can be accumulated. The tax rate would not have to be increased until specific projects are identified.

Henley also asked whether the

city could use the end-of-the-year balance to fund the parks program. She said she was leery about increasing taxes.

The over \$10 million parks program includes the acquisition of new park lands and the development of park areas already owned by the city.

Watts said the council can designate any portion of the end-of-the-year balance but that this would not give the city any long-term financing of parks.

Councilman Harold Heischouer suggested that the city needs some creative funding.

Councilwoman Reba McClanan said that she would not have trouble in her neighborhood financing the parks program to create the type of environment the people want.

Heischouer also suggested that if the city adopts the supplementary programs and the transfer of development rights (TDR) south of the green line does not become a reality, some of the \$64 million could be used to address some of the rural roads.

The city is requesting the General Assembly to authorize the city to establish a TDR program in the city. Council would still have to approve a program. The program would allow owners of property south of the green line to sell development rights for transfer to designated reception areas. Consultants have suggested the area between Indian River and Princess Anne Roads as a reception area.

"As much as we want TDR to

work," Councilman John A. Baum said, "the odds are against it." Without TDR, he said, "what are we going to do about strip development (in the rural areas)?" He said that the city is allowing inferior county roads to have more people on them which is "no solution at all."

Henley said that 6,000 units can be built now by right south of the green line, and up to 15,000 with use permits. She said just recently a developer called to ask what he could do with 27 acres of black land after he had developed the roadside portion of the property. She said that if the city is not going to have TDR, the alternatives are downzoning or a program for improvements in the area. "We have property owners who want answers," she said, and the problem has to be addressed now. She said that the city should be realistic and not call the three-acre developments farmettes, but residential subdivisions which is what they are.

Councilman John A. Baum said that new residents would like downzoning because the open spaces make their land more profitable.

Henley said that she hoped that just being afraid to look at something new, such as TDR, will not prevent people from looking at it. "There's a lot of pressure on the other side and we're not going to hold back much longer," she said, likening council's situation to holding a finger in the dike.

London Bridge Road Creates Problems

By Lee Cahill
City Council Reporter

Improvement of London Bridge Road will create the same problems that were experienced with the construction of General Booth Boulevard, said Councilwoman Reba McClanan at a recent workshop.

Unless the city changes its land

purchasing policies, she said, she does not approve of present plans to widen London Bridge to a four-lane divided highway.

Planning Director Robert Scott, presenting results of the Ferrell Parkway/Dam Neck Transportation study, said that a four-lane road which has been in the Master Street and Highway Plan will be adequate, and that the predicted 19,000 trips a day will be no problem.

Scott, presenting needs for the area to the year 2010, said that the study represented a small area where large forces were at play.

McClanan said that the city is planning to follow the same route as the present road, as it did on General Booth, where it created headaches. Her concern is that in enlarging the road, the city is creating commercial property where

none of the neighbors wants commercial property. She said that London Bridge should not be commercial; it will change the tone of the road. She said she had said the same thing about General Booth "and I didn't win, but I had to bear the consequences."

Councilman John A. Baum said that the council can change the policy so that the city would acquire more of the parcels which remain after road construction, zoned residential but not suitable for residential development.

"If we're willing to pay for the houses and property," McClanan said, she may look at the situation differently. She said that council creates prime commercial property by changing the road. "We make it undesirable as residential property."

Scott said that the staff has suggested changes in the land acquisition policy.

McClanan also pointed out that London Bridge Road along the industrial area is not adequate, but is

not in the Capital Improvement Program until the second five years.

Scott said that plans for Dam Neck from General Booth Boulevard west are adequate; that the improve-

ment of Ferrell Parkway from six to eight lanes as planned is adequate.

However, he said, plans for Estates Drive to use that road as a residential collector paralleling General Booth Boulevard are not a good idea now. He suggested tying the road through to London Bridge and using a phasing approach. The road, he said, needs to be upgraded from a four-lane undivided to a four-lane divided highway because of the changing conditions in the area.

He said that Culver Road should still be a residential connector street.

Although the Master Street and Highway Plan has nothing on Seaboard or Harpers Road, he said that a need will be created by the Southeastern Expressway. He said that the road will be so important that it should be a six-lane divided collector. He also said that the proposed intersection of the Southeastern Expressway at London Bridge is not good and should be moved.

Scott said that he hoped to keep Princess Anne Road the way it is as long as possible.

64 And 44 Busiest Interstates In Va.

By Lee Cahill
City Council Reporter

Interstate-64 between Chesapeake and Route 44 is the busiest four-lane interstate in the state, and said Councilwoman Reba McClanan, it's not getting any better.

In an effort to get some relief for the area, city council recently adopted a resolution requesting the Virginia Department of Transportation to make a detailed study and traffic analysis for the development of a new interchange of I-64 and an extension of Centerville Turnpike

southwest of the present intersection of Indian River Road and I-64.

The resolution also requests a study and traffic analysis for full improvements to the existing interchange of I-64 and Indian River Road, and requests consideration of the possible use of a collector-distributor system between the I-64 interchanges at Indian River Road and at Greenbrier Parkway to accommodate a Centerville Turnpike Connection of the interchange is not feasible.

The resolution also requests Chesapeake to adopt a similar resolution.

McClanan remained skeptical about inviting Vivian Watts, secretary of transportation, here to discuss the issue. "Every time Mrs. Watts comes down here she suggests more toll roads. I'm afraid she's going to suggest toll interchanges!"

"If the state is not going to do something, we're going to have to do something," said McClanan.

City Manager Aubrey V. Watts Jr. said that there is a chance that state discretionary funds are available for the study.

Sick Leave Revisions, Employee Programs Approved

By Lee Cahill
City Council Reporter

established annually or as necessary by the city and school administration. This year's rate is \$21 a day for a maximum of 120 days the rate currently used by the school administration.

Three new employee recognition programs will cost \$41,525 a year.

Twenty-five employees each year will receive plaques or certificates and cash awards of \$1,000 each for outstanding achievement in advancing public service. Department heads will make nominations and the city manager will make the final selection. All employees are eligible except for the city manager,

deputy city manager and assistant city managers. The cost of this program will be \$26,525 a year.

Cash award of \$20 to \$500 will be presented to employees for suggestions which may result in cost savings, increased efficiency or effectiveness in city operations and enhanced public image. Nominees will be recommended by a selection committee and presented by department heads throughout the year. Also, the city manager may make quarterly awards for outstanding suggestions. All employees below the level of department heads are eligible for the awards. The cost

will be \$13,000 a year.

Class Act awards will reward employees on a weekly or a monthly basis with certificates, gifts such as coffee mugs, and letters of recognition from the city manager and executive staff for everyday acts, and projects which enhance the image of the city, the department, or the employee workforce. Nominees may be recom-

mended by executives, supervisors and coworkers and department heads who will make the final decisions and present the awards to their employees.

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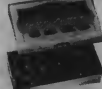


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quests a variance of 19.1 feet to a 10.9 foot setback from Poinciana Drive instead of 30 feet as required (residential addition) on Lot 384, Plat #2, Cape Story by the Sea, 2201 Maple Street, Lynnhaven Borough. ZONING: R-10

Case 16: Dr. Carl Hall requests a variance of 8.5 feet to a 21.5 foot setback from Berrywood Road and of 5 feet to a 25 foot setback from Berrywood Court instead of 30 feet each as required and of 4.5 to a 5.5 foot side yard setback (north side) and of 9 feet to a 1 foot rear yard setback (west side) instead of 10 feet each as required (proposed swimming pool and storage shed) on Lot 263, Section 2, Bellamy Woods, 4700 Berrywood Court, Kempsville Borough. ZONING: R-10

DEFERRED AGENDA:
Case D-1: Overhead Limited Partnership requests a variance to waive the 6 foot fence and Category VI landscaping where required for an automobile repair garage on a parcel, College Park, 736 South Military Highway, Kempsville Borough. ZONING: I-1

Case D-2: Denny P. Cobb requests a variance of 10 feet to a 20 foot setback from Fort Raleigh Drive instead of 30 feet as required (proposed dwelling) on Lot 1A, Block 45, Lake Christine Croatan, Fort Raleigh Drive, Lynnhaven Borough. ZONING: R-10

Case D-3: Mike and Theresia Sabin requests a variance to allow parking of major recreational equipment in front of a building instead of behind the nearest portion of a building adjacent to a public street on Lot 31, Block 3, Section 8, Windsor Woods, 217 Parkway Court, Kempsville Borough. ZONING: R-6

Case D-4: Granville M. Johns, Jr. requests a variance to allow parking of major recreational equipment in front of a building instead of behind the nearest portion of a building adjacent to a public street on Lot 7, Block 42, Section 5, Princess Anne Plaza, 424 Appian Avenue, Lynnhaven Borough. ZONING: R-6

Case D-5: Maurice C. Furrow requests a variance to allow parking of major recreational equipment in front of a building instead of behind the nearest portion of a building adjacent to a public street on Lot 8, Block 6, Windsor Woods, 420 Presidential Boulevard, Lynnhaven Borough. ZONING: R-6

PLEASE NOTE: IF NO ONE APPEARS BEFORE THE BOARD TO REPRESENT THE APPLICATION THE VARIANCE COULD BE DENIED!!!
James A. Wood
Secretary

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Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 28th day of November, 1988, DANIEL A. VINER, Plaintiff, against ELOUISE C. MOON VINER, Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
Docket #CH88-3602

This object of this suit is for the plaintiff to obtain a divorce a Vinculo Matrimonii from the said defendant, upon the grounds of willful desertion or abandonment; alternatively, a divorce Vinculo Matrimonii on the grounds that the parties have lived separate and apart, without co-habitation and without interruption for a period exceeding one year and an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being 1233 Remount Road, North Charleston, South Carolina, 29406, it is ordered that ELOUISE C. MOON VINER do appear on or before the 19th of January, 1989, and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit. It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A Copy Teste:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
Raymond W. Bjorkman D.C.
John O. Venner p.q.
Attorney at Law
2840 South Lynnhaven Road
Virginia Beach, Virginia, 23452

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Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 30th day of November, 1988,

SUSAN ELIZABETH GERTZ, Plaintiff, against CHARLES MELVIN GERTZ, Defendant.
ORDER OF PUBLICATION
Docket #CH88-3346

The object of this suit is for the plaintiff to obtain a divorce a Vinculo Matrimonii from the said defendant, upon the grounds of con-

tinuous and uninterrupted desertion for a period in excess of one year. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being Lot 29, Shad Road, Corolla, NC, 27927, and the plaintiff having exercised due diligence in trying to ascertain same, having engaged private detectives, made inquiries of friends and relatives, and worked through the police department, it is ordered that CHARLES MELVIN GERTZ do appear on or before the 23rd of January, 1989, and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A Copy Teste:
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Beril M. Abraham p.q.
Pender & Coward
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Fourth Floor, Greenwich Centre
192 Ballard Court
Va. Beach, Virginia, 23462

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Public Notice

Take notice, that on December 9, 1988, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., at the premises of 4753 Virginia Beach Blvd., Virginia Beach, Virginia 23462, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash only, reserving the right to bid, the following motor vehicle.

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Public Notice

Take notice, that on Dec. 15, 1988, at 10:00 a.m., at the premises of 3416 N. Military Hwy. Norfolk, Va. 23518. The undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash only, reserving the right to bid, the following motor vehicle.

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Public Notice

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Virginia Beach Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, Dec. 13, 1988, at 12:00 Noon in the Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, Princess Anne Courthouse, Virginia Beach, Virginia. A briefing session will be held at 9:00 a.m. in the Planning Department Conference Room, Operations Building. PLANNING COMMISSION ACTION IS NOT A FINAL DETERMINATION OF THE APPLICATION, BUT ONLY A RECOMMENDATION TO THE CITY COUNCIL AS THE VIEWPOINT OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION. FINAL DETERMINATION OF THE APPLICATION IS TO BE MADE BY CITY COUNCIL AT A LATER DATE. AFTER PUBLIC NOTICE IN A NEWSPAPER HAVING GENERAL CIRCULATION WITHIN THE CITY.

THOSE MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC INTERESTED IN ATTENDING THE PUBLIC HEARING SHOULD BE ADVISED THAT, FOR REASONS THE PLANNING COMMISSION DEEMS APPROPRIATE, CERTAIN ITEMS ON THE AGENDA MAY BE HEARD OUT OF ORDER AND THAT IT SHOULD NOT BE ASSUMED THAT THE ORDER LISTED BELOW WILL BE EXACTLY FOLLOWED DURING THE PUBLIC HEARING.

The staff reviews of some or all of the items on this agenda suggest that certain conditions be attached to approval by City Council. However, it should not be assumed that those conditions constitute all the conditions that will ultimately be attached to the project. Staff agencies may impose further conditions and requirements during administration of applicable city ordinances.

REGULAR AGENDA: SUBDIVISION VARIANCE:

1. Appeal from Decisions of Administrative Officers in regard to certain elements of the Subdivision Ordinance, Subdivision for William Richard Collier. Property is located at the southeast corner of Arrowhead Point and Arrowhead Point Court. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

2. Appeal from Decisions of Administrative Officers in regard to

certain elements of the Subdivision Ordinance, Subdivision for Sterling F. Webster. Property is located 740 feet more or less southwest of Little Neck Road beginning at a point 380 feet more or less east of Briarwood Point. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

3. Appeal from Decisions of Administrative Officers in regard to certain elements of the Subdivision Ordinance, Subdivision for John W. Swan. Property is located at 2893 West Gibbs Road. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. BLACKWATER BOROUGH.

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT:

4. An Ordinance upon Application of John W. Swan for a Conditional Use Permit for a single family dwelling in the AG-1 Agricultural District on the east side of West Gibbs Road, 3800 feet more or less from the intersection with Blackwater Road. Said parcel is located at 2893 West Gibbs Road and contains 3 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. BLACKWATER BOROUGH.

CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION:

5. An Ordinance upon Application of Cedar Cove Assoc. - General Partner, Joe Addington, Jr., for a Change of Zoning District Classification from R-40 Residential District to R-30 Residential District on certain property located at the southeast corner of Adam Keeling Road and West Twin Cove Road. Said parcel contains 26.976 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

6. An Ordinance upon Application of Dale P. and Jeanette B. Meyers for a Change of Zoning District Classification from R-7.5 Residential District to A-12 Apartment District on the south side of 23rd Street, 265 feet west of Barborton Drive on Lots 8 and 9, Block 3, Woodland. Said parcels contain 10,400 square feet. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT:

7. An Ordinance upon Application of William N. & Maxine H. Hall for a Conditional Use Permit for motor vehicle sales and rental on Lots 17, 18, 19, 39, 40 and 41, Block 41, Euclid Place. Said parcel is located at 204 Dorset Avenue and contains 20,625 square feet. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

8. An Ordinance upon Application of Tipton Sutton, L&B Body Shop, Inc., for a Conditional Use Permit for motor vehicle sales and service on the north side of Virginia Beach Boulevard, 300 feet east of Dorset Avenue. Said parcel is located at 5004 Virginia Beach Boulevard and contains 1.2 acres. KEMPSSVILLE BOROUGH.

9. An Ordinance upon Application of Williams Corporation of Virginia for a Conditional Use Permit for a borrow pit on the east side of Seaboard Road, 3800 feet more or less northwest of the intersection of Seaboard Road and Princess Anne Road. Said parcel is located at 2893 Seaboard Road and contains 247.38 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

10. An Ordinance upon Application of Susan Zoby for a Conditional Use Permit for boarding horses on property located 900 feet south of Seaboard Road, 2200 feet more or less west of Princess Anne Road. Said parcel is located at 2997 Seaboard Road and contains 60 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

11. An Ordinance upon Application of Norman Gladden, Jr. for a Conditional Use Permit for a recreational facility other than that of an outdoor nature (shooting range) on Lot A-8, Lynnhaven Square. Said parcel is located at 2664 Lishelle Place and contains 1.02 acres. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

12. An Ordinance upon Application of Walter F. Sullivan, Bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Richmond, for a Conditional Use Permit for a church on the north side of Salem Road, 340 feet more or less west of Highland Drive. Said parcel is located at 2304 Salem Road and contains 3 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. KEMPSSVILLE BOROUGH.

13. An Ordinance upon Application of Paul's Motor Company for a Conditional Use Permit for bulk storage and an automobile repair garage on certain property located on the east side of Happy Street, 265 feet south of Bonney Road. Said parcel contains 1.205 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. KEMPSSVILLE BOROUGH.

14. An Ordinance upon Application of Ronald M. Kramer for a Conditional Use Permit for an automobile repair and service establishment on the south side of Indian River Road, 609.53 feet east of Kempville Road. Said parcel is located at 5217 Indian River Road and contains 34,082 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. KEMPVILLE BOROUGH.

RECONSIDERATION OF CONDITIONS:

15. Application of Ronald M. Kramer for the reconsideration of conditions placed on the application for a change of zoning from R-6 Residential District to B-2 Community Business District on May 14, 1984. Property is located at 5217 Indian River Road. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. KEMPVILLE BOROUGH.

DEFERRED INDEFINITELY BY PLANNING COMMISSION ON 9-13-88:

16. An Ordinance upon Application of Marriott Corporation for a Conditional Zoning Classification from R-5D Residential Duplex to H-1 Hotel District on the northwest side of Euclid Road, 500 feet more or less southwest of Kellam Road. Said parcel is located at 4764 and 4760 Euclid Road and contains 2.67 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. KEMPVILLE BOROUGH.

DEFERRED 60 DAYS BY PLANNING COMMISSION ON 10-11-88:

17. An Ordinance upon Application of ESG Enterprises, Inc.-Doustan Partnership, Joint Venture for a Conditional Zoning Classification from AG-2 Agricultural District to O-1 Office District on certain property located on the west side of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 1036 feet north of London Bridge Road (Relocated). Said parcel contains 6.88 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

18. An Ordinance upon Application of ESG Enterprises, Inc.-Doustan Partnership Joint Venture for a Conditional Zoning Classification from AG-1 Agricultural District to O-1 Office District on certain property located 600 feet west of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 1036 feet north of London Bridge Road (Relocated). Said parcel contains 7.96 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

19. An Ordinance upon Application of ESG Enterprises, Inc.-Doustan Partnership, Joint Venture for a Conditional Zoning Classification from AG-1 Agricultural District to I-1 Light Industrial District on certain property located 1398 feet more or less west of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 2000 feet more or less north of London Bridge Road (Relocated). Said parcel contains 44.50 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

20. An Ordinance upon Application of ESG Enterprises, Inc.-Doustan Partnership, Joint Venture for a Conditional Zoning Classification from AG-2 Agricultural District to B-2 Community Business District on certain property located on the west side of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 1487.77 feet north of London Bridge Road (Relocated). Said parcel contains 20.10 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

21. An Ordinance upon Application of ESG Enterprises, Inc.-Doustan Partnership, Joint Venture for a Conditional Zoning Classification from AG-2 Agricultural District to A-24 Apartment District on certain property located 485 feet west of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 1487.77 feet north of London Bridge Road (Relocated). Said parcel contains 4.10 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

22. An Ordinance upon Application of ESG Enterprises, Inc.-Doustan Partnership, Joint Venture for a Conditional Zoning Classification from AG-1 Agricultural District to A-24 Apartment District on certain property located 600 feet west of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 1840 feet more or less northeast of London Bridge Road (Relocated). Said parcel contains 28.36 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

23. An Ordinance upon Application of ESG Enterprises, Inc.-Doustan Partnership, Joint Venture for a

Conditional Zoning Classification from AG-2 Agricultural District to B-4 Resort Commercial District on certain property located 440 feet west of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 3200 feet more or less northeast of London Bridge (Relocated). Said parcel contains 38,768 square feet. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

24. An Ordinance upon Application of ESG Enterprises, Inc.-Doustan Partnership, Joint Venture for a Conditional Zoning Classification from AG-1 Agricultural District to B-4 Resort Commercial District on certain property located 550 feet west of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 3200 feet more or less northeast of London Bridge Road (Relocated). Said parcel contains 7.42 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

25. An Ordinance upon Application of Mildred Lucile Reid and Herbert D. Smith for a Change of Zoning District Classification from AG-2 Agricultural District to I-1 Light Industrial District on the south side of London Bridge Road, 1700 feet more or less east of Shipp's Corner Road. Said parcel is located at 1417 London Bridge Road and contains 2.524 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

26. An Ordinance upon Application of Mildred Lucile Reid and Herbert D. Smith for a Change of Zoning District Classification from AG-1 Agricultural District to I-1 Light Industrial District on 600 feet south of London Bridge Road, 1700 feet more or less east of Shipp's Corner Road. Said parcel is located at 1417 London Bridge Road and contains 1.214 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

27. An Ordinance upon Application of Rowe Properties - Corporate Woods, L.P., for a Change of Zoning District Classification from O-2 Office District to I-1 Light Industrial District on certain property located on the east side of the northern extremity of Corporate Woods Drive. Said parcel contains 11,325.6 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. KEMPVILLE BOROUGH.

28. An Ordinance upon Application of Rowe Properties - Corporate Woods, L.P., for a Change of Zoning District Classification from R-5D Residential Duplex District to O-2 Office District on certain property located 280 feet more or less North of Bonney Road beginning at a point 530 feet more or less east of Grayson Road. Said parcel contains 13,503.6 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. KEMPVILLE BOROUGH.

29. An Ordinance of Amoco Oil Company for a Conditional Use Permit for gasoline pumps and a car wash in conjunction with a convenience store on certain property located at the northwest corner of Haygood Road and Crossborough Road. Said parcel contains 41,665 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

30. An Ordinance upon Application of Witteck Lake Enterprises, Inc., for a Conditional Use Permit to fill a borrow pit on certain property located at the western extremity of Witteck Court. Said parcel contains 54 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

31. An Ordinance upon Application of Amoco Oil Company for a Conditional Use Permit for a car wash at the southwest corner of Northampton Boulevard and Baker. Said parcel is located at 5765 Northampton Boulevard and contains 29,285 square feet. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

32. An Ordinance upon Application of James A. Tinkham, Jr. for a Conditional Use Permit for an auto repair establishment (Quick Lube), a car wash and gas pumps on certain property located at the northwest corner of Independence Boulevard and N. Witteck Road. Said parcel contains 1.092 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

DEFERRED BY PLANNING COMMISSION FOR 30 DAYS ON 11-8-88:

33. An Ordinance upon Application of Amoco Oil Company for a Change of Zoning District Classification from AG-2 Agricultural District to B-2 Community Business District on the east side of Seaboard Road beginning at a point 120 feet more or less south of

Princess Anne Road. Said parcel is located at 2404 Seaboard Road and contains 28,917 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

34. An Ordinance upon Application of Amoco Oil Company for a Conditional Use Permit for a gas station and car wash in conjunction with a convenience store on certain property located at the southeast corner of Seaboard Road and Princess Anne Road. Said parcel contains 43,200 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

35. Application of Cess Limited for the discontinuance, closure and abandonment of portions of the following streets: Cason Avenue: Beginning at the eastern boundary of Seaboard Road and running in a northeasterly direction a distance of 1179.75 feet. Braten Street: Beginning at the southern boundary of Cason Avenue and running in a southerly direction a distance of 50 feet. Said parcels contain 1,417.5 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

36. Motion of the Planning Commission of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Article 13 of the City Zoning Ordinance pertaining to the Historic and Cultural District. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning.

37. Motion of the Planning Commission of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Article 1, Section 105 of the City Zoning Ordinance pertaining to nonconformity. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning.

38. Motion of the Planning Commission of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Article 1, Section 102(h) of the City Zoning Ordinance pertaining to amendments. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning.

39. Motion of the Planning Commission of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Article 2, Section 221 of the City Zoning Ordinance pertaining to procedural requirements and general standards for conditional uses. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning.

Plats with more detailed information of the above applications are available in the Department of Planning.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

Robert J. Scott
Planning Director

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Public Notice

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Virginia:

The regular meeting of the City Council of Virginia Beach will be held in the Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, Municipal Center, Princess Anne Station, Virginia Beach, Virginia, on Monday, December 19, 1988, at 2:00 p.m. at which time the following applications will be heard:

CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION:

PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH:
1. An Ordinance upon Application of Eight D Corporation for a Conditional Zoning Classification from AG-2 Agricultural District to B-2 Community Business District on certain property located at the northeast corner of General Booth Boulevard and Culver Lane. Said parcel contains 5.38 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.

KEMPVILLE BOROUGH:
2. An Ordinance upon Application of Pace Collaborative, P.C. for a Change of Zoning District Classification from R-5D Residential Duplex District to O-1 Office District on certain property located on the east side of Grayson Road, 400 feet north of Bonney Road. Said parcel contains 1 acre. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. KEMPVILLE BOROUGH.

3. An Ordinance upon Application of A.R.C., Inc. for a Change of Zoning District Classification from R-5D Residential District to B-2 Community-Business District on certain property located on the north side of Centerville Turnpike. Said parcel contains 7.983 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. KEMPVILLE BOROUGH.

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT:
KEMPVILLE BOROUGH:

4. U.S. Habitats, a Va. General Partnership for a Conditional Use Permit for a recreational facility other than those of an outdoor nature (shooting range) on the north side of Holland Road, 300 feet more or less west of Windsor Oaks Boulevard. Said parcel is located at 3972 Holland Road and contains 2.74 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. KEMPVILLE BOROUGH.

LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH:
5. An Ordinance upon Application of Friends of Infant Stimulation, Inc., for a Conditional Use Permit for a child education center on certain property located on the west side of N. Great Neck Road, 90 feet more or less south of Millwood Road. Said parcel contains 7.6 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

PUNGO BOROUGH:
6. An Ordinance upon Application of Cox Cable Hampton Roads, Inc., for a Conditional Use Permit for a line-of-site relay tower on certain property located on the north side of N. Muddy Creek Road, 2670 feet more or less east of Princess Anne Road. Said parcel contains 3.6 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. PUNGO BOROUGH.

SUBDIVISION VARIANCE:

BAYSIDE BOROUGH:

7. Appeal from Decisions of Administrative Officers in regard to certain elements of the Subdivision Ordinance, Subdivision for Mrs. Ruth V. Peele and Mrs. Lillian Mumford. Said parcel is located at 1330 Newtown Road. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

Ruth Hodges Smith, CMC/AEE
City Clerk

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2112-7VBS

Public Notice

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 18th day of November, 1988.

In re: NAME CHANGE of CARLY LYNN WASTENEYS-MALINOWSKI TO CARLY LYNN WASTENEYS

By: JUDITH ALICE WASTENEYS, Petitioner
TO: STEVE CRAIG MALINOWSKI, 449 Linwood Drive, Riverside, CA 92506.

IN CHANCERY #CH88-3338

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
This day came JUDITH ALICE WASTENEYS, Petitioner, and represented that the object of this proceeding is to effect the Name Change of the above named infant, CARLY LYNN WASTENEYS-MALINOWSKI, by JUDITH ALICE WASTENEYS and affidavit having been made and filed that STEVE CRAIG MALINOWSKI a natural parent of said child, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being: 449 Linwood Drive, Riverside, CA 92506.

It is therefore Ordered that the said STEVE CRAIG MALINOWSKI appear before this Court within (10) days after publication of this Order and indicate his attitude toward the proposed Name Change or otherwise do what is necessary to protect his interest in this matter.

It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A Copy Teste:

J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By: Linda D. Jones
Walter R. Koball, Esquire p.q.
tidewater Legal aid society
3500 Virginia Beach Blvd.
Suite 308, Little Neck towers
Virginia Beach, VA 23452

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4112-21VBS

Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the city of Virginia Beach, on the 15th day of November, 1988. M. Gwendolyn Marrone, Plaintiff, against Frank T. Marrone, Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Docket #CH88-2722

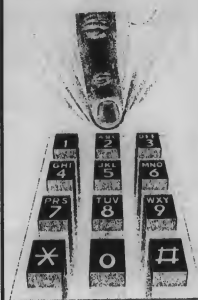
The object of this suit is for the said plaintiff to obtain a divorce A Mensa Et Thoro to be in due course merged into a decree A Vinculo Matrimonii from the said defendant, upon the grounds of Constructive Desertion and Cruelty with reasonable apprehension of bodily harm. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being 777 Deer Lake Drive, Virginia Beach, Virginia 23462, and that due diligence has been used by and on behalf of the plaintiff to ascertain in what county or corporation the defendant is, without effect it is ordered that Frank T. Marrone do appear on or before the 6th of January, 1989, and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. It is further Ordered that a Copy of this order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A copy-Teste:

Marlene Woodall p.q.
1657 Virginia Beach Blvd.
Virginia Beach, VA 23454
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By: Linda D. Jones D.C.

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Social Security

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nis Reilly, social security branch manager in Virginia Beach, said recently.

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More information about reporting responsibilities can be obtained at the Norfolk Social Security Office located in the Federal Bldg., room 600, 200 Granby Mall. The telephone number there is 441-3401.

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DUI Arrests

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the influence, his car is towed, he's taken to the station and must post bond. For a first offender, if convicted he will usually receive a \$250 fine, which can go as high as \$1,000. The driver will be granted a 30-day suspended jail sentence and his license may be suspended for

six months, unless he enters the ASAP program. The judge will then allow a restricted license to be used to go to and from work only.

A second offender is sentenced to two days in jail and the "fine is usually increased," Lanteigne said.

If a third DUI offense occurs, the driver is judged as a habitual offender and his license is revoked for 10 years. If the offender is caught driving, he is charged with a felony.

Lanteigne also explained that many traffic fatalities are alcohol related. In 1986, 70% of the 51 deaths that occurred were alcohol related and in 1987, 23% of the traffic fatalities were DUI related. The numbers seem to be decreasing this year, with 14% of the 24 deaths being alcohol related.

"That's what we're supposed to be out here to do," Lanteigne said.

Beer Club

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actually make beer at its meetings, but "we occasionally get together and do a brew as a club project."

The club does get together for tastings, though, where members sample each other's brew. They

then have a judging and the best brew is entered into national competitions.

Young, who has only been in the club for two years, has already placed third in a national competition held in California.

Donna Vaughan

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three and four-year-olds. She is also a member of the Southern States Women's Committee. In her spare time, Vaughan enjoys cross stitching, making bread, jams and pickles.

"That's pretty much all I have time for," she said.

Although she said she has to be

busy at all times and hates being bored, Vaughan said, "I'd like to slow the pace down and take more time to smell the flowers."

Her only regret in life is that she didn't attend college directly after high school. Vaughan has taken accounting classes at Tidewater Community College, but she said she'd someday like to get a four-year degree.

Lil Youell

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After all, adults can control some drugs, but drugs control most kids who use them. Unfortunately, youngsters are receiving mixed signals. Parents who are heavy drinkers inevitably diminish their credibility as role models.

Daniel Swartzman, an attorney and associate professor in the School of Public Health, University of Illinois, provided a paper, "If I Say No To Drugs, To What Am I Saying Yes?" He poses the disturbing question: In a world of greed, of short-term quantification, of selfishness, with no infrastructure for caring and sacrifice, with no direction in addressing questions of meaning and purpose, why shouldn't our kids do what feels good now?

Drug dealers are entrepreneurs who understand their "market." Everyone is looking for a "quick fix." The messages on TV are take an aspirin, have a beer, grab dinner at a fast food restaurant. Drug dealers know that drugs are the ultimate quick fix in the fast lane. If drugs just fill a void, what can take their place in this meaningless, purposeless society?

Even experts in the field have trouble defining the word "drug." Mary Hansen, assistant director of communication, Ohio Attorney General's office, defined a drug as "any illegal substance." Then, the moderator, Clay Yeager, director, Center for Juvenile Justice Training and Research at Shippensburg University, pointed out that tobacco and alcohol are legal, but can cause death. He added that these "drugs of choice" are being ignored.

Yet, alcohol when used by minors is a hard drug. Even though it is socially accepted by adults, it is a mood-altering drug and another definition of a drug is "anything that alters the mind or body." This would include aspirin, coke and coffee!

It should be noted that "drugs of abuse" is a term that emphasizes a common social rather than pharmacological property. When people use them improperly, the effects are dangerous enough to create a health hazard or a social problem.

Dr. William Lee Wilbanks, professor of criminal justice, Florida International University, disagrees with the idea that drug addiction is a disease. His views expressed at the seminar, may be found in an article in the current issue of "The Reader's Digest." "The New Obscenity" does not refer to a four letter word but to a four word phrase: "I can't help myself." He believes the illness-concept tells a user he is not accountable for his addiction, only for his recovery. Should a kid be blamed if he is just sick? Anyone who believes this will believe he cannot control his problem.

Concerned with the early use of alcohol by youngsters, Professor Lonn Lanza-Kaduce, acting director, Center for Studies in Criminology and the

Law, University of Florida, is currently writing a book on that subject. His data suggests that kids are adopting permissive norms and then moving into other forms of deviant behavior. Their moral tolerance is down and may cause them to become involved in other criminal activities.

While the "Just Say No" campaign has raised awareness, it is only a start. Much more is needed. Most speakers agreed that the administration's emphasis on supply-side reduction failed miserably. The profit margin is so huge that someone else or some other country is always ready to fill the void. As supply goes down, the price just goes up. Supply cannot be stopped, only interrupted. It has been estimated that there are now 22 million users in the United States of which 50,000 are addicts.

Several programs are in place to deal with the drug problem. Deterrence programs attempt to educate the public to avoid experimenting with drugs. Prevention programs attempt to help those involved in the "recreational use" of drugs to avoid becoming addicted. Treatment programs attempt to help those who have reached the point of addiction to overcome their addiction.

Of these programs, most panelists felt more effort should be made on demand-reduction programs which depend on education. However, they acknowledge two problems. First, there are a few funds for such deterrent programs. Second, it is difficult, if not impossible, to measure or assess the success of such approach. One panelist stated that we have raised the level of awareness of one kind of alcohol use - drunk driving, but society has moved from marijuana madness to cocaine craziness.

With young people, we cannot use scare tactics on drugs, such as "Don't use drugs or you will die." Young people don't buy this. Those who are users are skeptical when teachers or parents exaggerate or misstate the facts. They are often better informed about drug use than the adults. We can give young people coping skills only if we tell the truth. It is more realistic to warn them, "Don't gamble with your life."

The Virginia Beach Public Schools have developed a three-day intervention program at the Center for Effective Learning, of which Lee Brumfield is the principal. Guidance counselors in every school in the city can provide information and assistance to students with drug problems.

The drug problem is multi-faceted and there is no single or simple solution. The government cannot solve it no matter how much money it spends on it. Winning this war will require cooperative efforts from all - government agencies on all levels, school officials, teachers, parents and especially the students themselves. We the people must mobilize our forces and resources for, as of this moment, we are losing the battle.

Mayor's Report

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ily. One of the employees indicated, "Personally, I celebrate Jewish holidays, but people in need are people in need no matter what their religion, and I consider it a blessing to be able to help."

Several indigent families will receive holiday food and gifts courtesy of employees in the Operations Building. In the Data Processing Department the Print shop and the mail room funds are being collected which are earmarked for holiday food baskets and gifts. Employees of the Public Utilities Department will be supplying canned goods and other food items to the Virginia Beach Christian Outreach Group to be dispersed to those who otherwise might go hungry this Christmas.

The spirit of giving among city workers is not limited to the holiday season, however. In addition to their regular duties, 26 employees volunteered an average of 20 hours a week as cardiac technicians and paramedics. Phyllis Maness, the chairman of this year's United Way campaign, reports that city workers contributed \$625,720 to this worthy cause during the period from 1984 through 1988.

The Red Cross stages three major blood drives throughout the municipal complex each year. Linda Stephenson of the Public Information Office reports that, since 1983, 5710 employees have lined up to give the gift of life. The December blood drive will be held soon in preparation for the anticipated increase in accidents which, unfortunately, a holiday period often brings.

Congratulations are due to the employees of the city of Virginia Beach. In addition to their chosen careers in public service, they are constant participants in many endeavors to improve the health and welfare of the entire community.

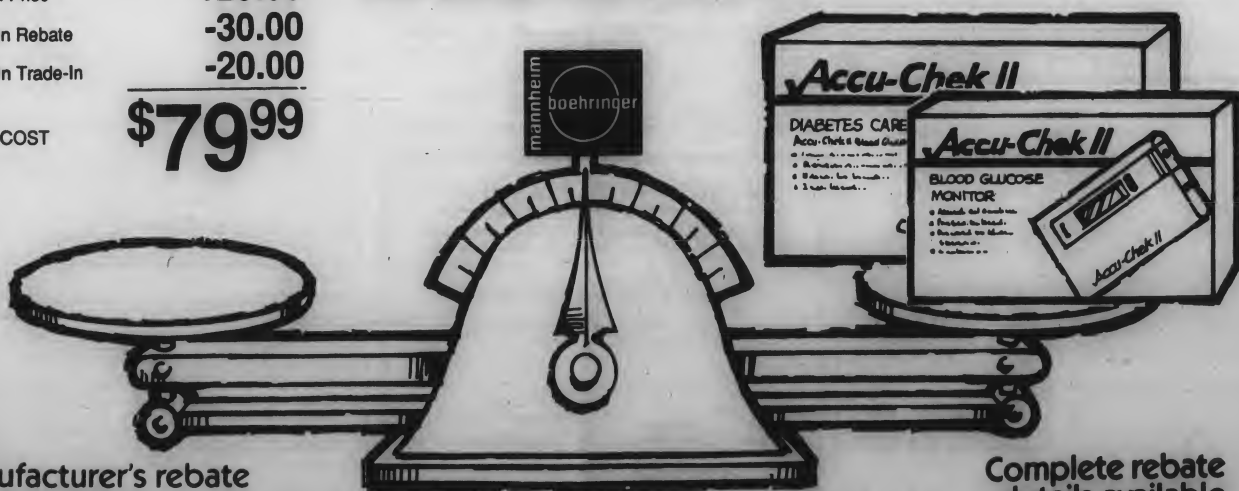
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By Karen Dalrymple
Staff Writer

Fifty years ago, Virginia Beach had an overabundance of trees. Now, due to increased development in the area, more and more trees are being removed. The problem is, not all of them are being replaced, and there's no law that says they should be.

According to Randy Jackson, extension agent for the Virginia Beach Department of Agriculture, the state of Virginia has not allowed proposed tree ordinances in the past, although members of the community are constantly request-

ing it. "I think a base is building," said Pat Bridges, chairman of the city's Appearance Task Force. "I'm optimistic" about establishing a tree ordinance.

Jackson said the ordinance problem is strictly political and it "may change in 1989."

Jackson, who said trees are a renewable resource, is in favor of removing trees for development, as long as they are replanted or replaced.

"You can't build homes without tearing trees down. We need to try to make people understand that you

can't save all trees. You wouldn't have economic development," he said.

Bridges said some builders remove trees just to get them out of the way. He gave an example of trees being chopped down because they were blocking a billboard. Bridges said he found the unnecessary removal of trees "offensive" and "bordering on sinful."

"Sometimes it's necessary to remove trees. It's a price for progress we sometimes have to pay," he said, but "Some builders consider trees the enemy."

Jackson said the developer isn't always the bad guy and the community should be made aware of that.

"We've got to work together.

Now, due to increased development in the area, more and more trees are being removed. The problem is, not all of them are being replaced...

We've got to start educating each other. We've been blaming other people," he said.

Jackson said many environmentalists are concerned about developers distributing the environment and its appearance. He agreed that trees not being removed should be left in the best shape possible, but sometimes damage can be done due to the installing of telephone and television lines.

Environmentalists and developers met recently to discuss trees and developing. Jackson said he feels

educating one another can be done through leadership.

"The program we had was an excellent start," he said.

According to Jackson and Bridges, trees have many advantages. Trees may act as windbreakers, they collect dust, minimize odors, provide oxygen, moderate temperatures and increase groundwater. Bridges also added that trees are beautiful objects.

"These are just some of the advantages of trees," Bridges said.

Although trees may be rapidly disappearing, they have not become



Removed trees not always replanted.

extinct. There are still undeveloped areas in the southern part of the city, the Blackwater section, for example.

"There's quite a bit of wooded area. Please see Trees, page 10

Hospice Care Teaches Terminally Ill Patients How To Say Good-bye

By Karen Dalrymple
Staff Writer

"We're all dying and it's the one subject that's the most avoided," said Franne Whitney Nelson, founder and executive director of Hospice Care, Inc., a program that deals with terminally ill people who have an estimated life expectancy of six months.

"We help them say good-bye," Nelson said.

A little over a year ago, Nelson said she started the Virginia Beach-based Hospice Care because there was a real need for it in the area. She was first exposed to the hospice idea 15 years ago when she read a story about it.

"I knew someday this was what I was going to do. I felt a real drive to work with terminally ill people," she said.

Nelson and her staff of volunteers have treated 90 patients so far. There are currently 25 patients with Hospice Care, 95% of them from Virginia Beach. The patients range in age from 22 to 96 and most of them have cancer. Three of them have AIDS.

"Every patient except for five have had cancer," Nelson said.

Nelson said Hospice Care gets all the terminally ill patients from Virginia Beach General Hospital,

"We try to create an environment where they feel safe about talking about their fears," Nelson said. "We help them with what to say and do around terminally ill people."

Portsmouth Naval Hospital, the Virginia Beach Health Department, private physicians and family and friends. She added that Hospice Care has gotten wonderful acceptance from the medical community.

"It's gone like wild fire," she said. "We have wonderful medical credibility."

Hospice Care provides a philosophy of how to deal with the terminally ill in a number of ways. Nelson said they visit patients in the hospice building, where patients may live out their last days; in house hospice, which are located at area hospitals; or they go to where the dying are, their homes for example.

Nelson said many patients and families don't like to talk about terminal illness. Some families have unsaid business or good-byes, and many patients want to plan

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Do You Recognize This Man?



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Interstate 44 Gets A \$624,503 Facelift

By Karen Dalrymple
Staff Writer

The Virginia Beach-Norfolk Expressway has a few new additions and they are not toll plazas. Inter-

state 44 is now decorated by plants.

According to Steve Rowan, contract administrator for the Department of Transportation, "It's an overall beautification project for the

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Plans For Mental Hospital Still In Discussion Stage

By Karen Dalrymple
Staff Writer

After 20 years, plans to build or utilize existing facilities for a regional mental hospital are now beginning to resurface, but it is still too early to know where or when it will be established.

Dennis I. Wool, director of the Virginia Beach Community Services Board, said he hopes to see an actual beginning within a year or 18 months.

"We're going to try to work with existing resources," he said. "We would hope to have definite commitments to legislate this winter."

Although nothing has been put down on paper yet, Wool, who is the proposal's biggest backer, said he's confident that the plans will be approved.

The proposal must first be presented to the commissioner of the Department of Mental Health, Retardation and Substance Abuse, who in turn will present it to the secretary for Human Services in the Governor's cabinet. If funding is needed the plans will be submitted to legislature, which will meet in Richmond this winter.

"We're encouraged that the commissioner will be willing to entertain this as a possible alternative," Wool said.

The proposal to build a regional mental hospital "is not a new idea," according to Wool. He explained

Wool said the main reason for a regional hospital is so mental patients can be treated in their own community instead of traveling to Williamsburg.

that the "mental health movement" of 1968 recommended the construction of three mental hospitals to provide relief to the overcrowded Eastern State Hospital in Williamsburg. Only two hospitals were constructed, one in Northern Virginia and the other in Danville. The third hospital, projected for Norfolk, was never established.

"There were some big pieces missing," Wool said.

Wool said the main reason for a regional hospital is so mental patients can be treated in their own community, instead of traveling to Williamsburg. Wool added that patients would spend 15 to 20 days at a local hospital, compared to up to 90 days at Eastern State.

"We've made significant progress" with mental patients, Wool said. Five years ago, clinic support, housing and jobs were not available to patients who are a danger to themselves and those around them. Now, mental patients may be admitted to a psychiatric hospital for three to five days, until medication helps the mental illness pass. The cost of the stay ranges from

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Personality Profile

Cullipier Appreciates Land's Natural Resources

By Karen Dalrymple
Staff Writer

Growing up on a family farm on Knott's Island, N.C. is what peaked Louis Cullipier's interest in natural resources.

"I always had an appreciation of farm life and natural resources," he said.

Even as a child, Cullipier, director of Agriculture for the city of Virginia Beach, said he had many responsibilities on the farm. After graduating in 1953 from Creeds High School, Cullipier took a year off to farm. In 1954, he enrolled at North Carolina State University, where he majored in soils.

After college, Cullipier took a job with a soil conservation service in the Petersburg/Richmond area. For 27 years, he conducted soil surveys and had management responsibilities. The last 10 years of his employment with the agency was spent in Virginia Beach.

In 1977, Cullipier, his wife and

their three children moved to Pungo to a four-acre farm.

"It's either a large garden or an extremely small farm," Cullipier said.

He still maintains his family farm on Knott's Island.

In 1987, Cullipier took an early retirement from his job. At the same time, the city of Virginia Beach offered him the position of director of agriculture. He succeeded Dick Cocknell.

"I was very lucky to be selected as director," he said.

Cullipier is also involved with the VPI Extension Service, which provides technical information regarding agriculture, home economics and the 4-H.

His job responsibilities to the city include "providing overall leadership" to the Farmer's Market on Princess Anne Road. He is also responsible for Virginia Beach's actual agriculture, such as crops, natural resources and water quality, and home horticulture, which handles pest and insect problems.

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Cullipier is involved in a number of job related organizations. He is a member of the American Society of Agronomy (soils and plants), the Soil Science Society of America, the Soil and Water Conservation Society, the Virginia Association of Professional Soil Scientists, the Virginia Soil Board and is the chairman of the Virginia Resources Use Education Council, which is an "environmental education group."

"I enjoy the rural character," Cullipier said of his fascination with agriculture. He said the one thing that keeps him going is his work ethic and the satisfaction of getting something done.

His plans for the future include "developing an agriculture plan for the city." Cullipier would like to create a future of agriculture to see where agriculture will be in 20 years, and to try to plan strategies. "I have a lot of stamina," he said.

For now, Cullipier plans to continue scouting fields and wading waist high in swamps for pests that could negatively impact the soil.



Louis Cullipier

Don't Let Stress Get The Best Of You

Do you suffer from stress caused by situations at work or at home? Many of us contribute to our own unhappiness and distress by being overly self-critical and pessimistic.

Many of us are constantly trying to perfect ourselves and are seldom satisfied with our progress. Sometimes we deal with stress by distorting reality and exaggerating our errors and failures.

Ask yourself the following questions, which were first published in a newspaper for the city employees of Virginia Beach, and see if you are guilty of self-criticism.

*When you make an error, do you tend to exaggerate the importance of your mistake?

*If you performance falls short of perfection, do you see yourself as a total failure?

*Instead of describing the mistake, do you respond to your errors by attaching a negative label to yourself?

*Do you dwell on things you do wrong long after the event itself?

*Do you assume that people are reacting negatively to you without any real evidence to support that assumption?

*Do you have a hard time accepting compliments?

If you answered yes to any of these questions, you need to go easier on yourself. Discussing your problem with a trained professional may relieve your anxiety. Counselors can also recommend ways to help relieve stress. -K.L.D.

No More Leaf-Burning In The Yard

It's a Saturday in Virginia Beach and your neighbors are hard at work raking leaves and burning them in the yard. For as long as we can remember, leaves have always been burnt after hours of trying to gather them in one pile.

Well, say good-bye to the leaf-burning ritual. Because the smoke is harmful to the air, the city has requested that we refrain from burning leaves this year. Instead, we are to bag them and put them out for pick up on the normal trash collection day. A 25-bag limit is suggested for each collection day.

If you have more than 25 bags per day, the Virginia Beach Waste Management Division will make special arrangements to assist in the removal of bags within a reasonable time frame. This ensures that regular refuse collection routes are completed.

In addition, the city provides yard debris trailers that can be reserved free of charge by calling 427-4201. These trailers are delivered to your home and can be used for any type of yard debris including shrubbery, grass trimmings, tree branches and leaves. The trailer will be removed the following day and hauled to a disposal site. -K.L.D.

Homeless Need Help All Year Long

This winter, a great amount of the city's population will be living on the streets. Many are single mothers with children. Many are children with no parents. These unfortunate people are poor, cold and hungry.

During the holiday season, so many charitable organizations give to the needy and provide shelter for the homeless. Food and clothing are donated and shelters are established so the homeless will have a warm bed to sleep in. Two local organizations are providing shelter to these people, Mothers Inc., and the Samaritan House.

One of these organizations has arranged to rent hotel and motel rooms for a low price during the off-season. The other group bought a house to lodge the homeless at no cost.

Where do these homeless stay during the other nine months of the year when there are no holidays and it isn't so cold? It seems like the homeless are forgotten about until the cold weather strikes. It's wonderful that some people want to help the needy during the holidays, but these people need help all year long. Keep giving to the needy, but don't forget about them when the snow melts. -K.L.D.

Plan Ahead For Hotel Stays

Many of us will be traveling to see family and friends over the holidays. A lot of times, the circumstances won't allow us to "crash" with relatives, so we are forced to stay at a hotel.

There are a few details to consider when planning a stay at a hotel or motel. The following tips may help make a hotel stay more enjoyable:

*Always get a confirmation number when making a reservation.

*Always guarantee your reservation with a credit card number or advance deposit.

*Make sure special requests are known when making reservations, such as a need to be on the first floor in a handicapped room.

*Always ask for special group rates. Many hotels offer special group rates starting at 15 rooms or more.

*When checking out of the hotel, make sure you double check the drawers and closets. Don't leave anything behind!

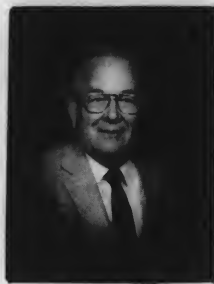
*Always remember when staying in a hotel, keep valuables out of sight or locked up.

Have a safe and happy holiday! -K.L.D.



Special Report

Council Of Civic Organizations Keeping Busy During City's Silver Anniversary



By Lee Banks
president, Council
of Civic Organizations

Your Council of Civic Organizations has been busy and involved this "Silver Anniversary" year of our young city of Virginia Beach.

It is hard to realize that we are the largest city in Virginia and still growing at a healthy rapid pace.

Over 50% of our residents are employed in industry within our city. I like to remind the media and the merchants that we are Tidewater's largest consumer market. We like our share of recognition. I can tell you that our affairs are being handled by fire dedicated people that have a stake in our future.

So many exciting and worthwhile things happened this year. Many ceremonies took place that involved all facets of the community. Many projects were planned so they would be finished in our anniversary years. One of my favorites is Flag Square at the Municipal Center.

I always choke-up a little when I

go by our Veterans Memorial at the Pavilion. Our modern Central Library. Our 24th Street Park at the oceanfront that made all of us realize the desperate need to acquire land for recreation and open space.

The new Great Neck Recreation Center is underway with two more super centers set to go. The almost-complete art museum and the Marine Science Museum are great projects. The patrons of these two projects and many others in our city reflect the fact that people in all walks of life give back and care about each other.

Kempsville is getting their well deserved larger library. We have seen may of our street and highway projects that seemed like they were going to be torn up forever completed. They relieved the particular problems just as our engineers predicted.

All in all, I think we can say this is a year that will always be remembered. We can't say that "quality of life" in our city isn't a high priority consideration.

Your CCO is such a reservoir of talent sent here by the member organizations to represent them. It is a source where active and willing workers are available. There aren't many projects or committees that don't include individuals or enlist the help of the whole body.

We are excited about "Operation Sunburst." I'm sure we will reach our goal, and be known as the "City of Daffodils." Plant your ten bulbs and watch next spring arrive.

CCATS is a growing coalition on traffic safety. CADRE is seeking a drug free society. Support them and know that through your CCO, you are involved.

We have had good, well planned and current programs this year. Our new format has pushed the members to get more involved and we have a time when any member or worthy person can speak. We couldn't ask for better cooperation from our city officials. They keep us updated and either make up or participate in programs as needed.

We have a number of ongoing projects you will be hearing about. One is what we feel is unequal representation of our citizens on council. We are having a problem coming up with something better because what we have is working pretty well. Discuss this important matter and send us your suggestions.

We have been frustrated by the "Free Protection Bill" not being passed. We are hoping that Senator Stalling can introduce a bill in the senate this session. We are on record in support of enlarging the Back Bay Wildlife Refuge. We are also on record in support of the city acquiring land now for future open space and recreation.

It has been a high honor to have served as president of the CCO this special year. So much happened. I can't wait to read what will be written on our Golden Anniversary in 25 years. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all.

Social Security Checks Becoming Smaller

By Jewell Shipley,
Field Representative,
Social Security Administration

More than a few times, Virginia Beach residents have been counting on bigger Social Security checks when they retire. But when the time comes for those people to go to a Social Security office to apply for retirement benefits, they find, to

their dismay, that their checks are much smaller than they thought they would be.

This happens because there are many people who still think Social Security will replace all of the earnings they have before retirement. They don't realize that Social Security was never designed to replace all the earnings people lose when they stop working. Social Security is intended to replace only

a percentage of the earnings.

Until now, Social Security has been able to give benefit estimates to every worker 60 or older who asked for it. If some of those people made plans based on the amount of benefits they thought they would have at retirement and then learned that their benefits would be much less, it was too late for them to start planning to add to their Social Security income.

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A Few Words

By
Managing Editor
Greg Goldfarb

Possum Patties

It's Friday. (A week ago).

Season's first snow. A good time to begin a new, inane column. Intended to be thought-provoking, whimsical, satiric, irreverent and a complete contrast to my regular editorial duties and responsibilities.

Topics will include anything and everything. Anybody and everybody. And hopefully, readers will react strongly enough to what appears here, either positively or negatively, to write me a letter for publication and tell me how they feel. One note, however. Even though this piece is especially without merit, in the future I intend to address more topical issues and get a few things off my chest.

This week, let's begin with sewer-sucking, scum-licking rats.

The National Wildlife Federation reports in an article entitled "Roast Rodents," that some rodents in the world face extinction. Too bad. That's all we need. A concerted effort to increase the smelly, beaver-faced rat population. Seems that in many cultures the vile creatures are a delicacy.

If you ask me, the only good place for a stinking rat is six feet under.

Not in my house.

The article states that worldwide there are 3,000 rodent species, and that "most rodents...do not live in filth. Feeding on leaves and grains, many convert vegetation into meat almost as efficiently as do large herbivores like cattle."

In America, it appears that the most commonly eaten rodent is squirrels. "Even today," the article states, "squirrels are the second most important game animal (deer are first) in the United States." It seems Europe has a long history of rodent consumption, dating back to the ancient Romans who held contests determining who brought to the feast the fattest, juiciest soon-to-be-eaten rat.

Because of this popularity, over the years, "due to their delicious flavor, some of these rodents could soon face extinction."

In fact, according to the article, the cloud rat of the Philippines, the giant flying squirrel of Borneo and the Mara and Viscacha of South America are all in danger of "being eaten off the face of the earth."

This delicious thought reminds me of a warped little ditty I wrote in a college creative writing class. It was called "Possum Patties" and goes something like this:

With the head of a rat and the tail of a mouse, I would never let a poor possum freeze.

A creature with whiskers that hides in the stickers, I bet after dark possum eat cheese.

Now if you fancy possum like I fancy rat, I know a dreadfully neat little trick. You chase them all into a room, close all the doors and crush their little rodent heads with a stick.

Then, grind their nasty bodies into a meatball pie. And throw them in the skillet and watch them fry, fry, fry!

Honestly. Ten or 11 years ago I turned that in and received an A. In fact, the professor was so taken by it he read it to the class. Guess he didn't like rats either. I also think he liked the contrast between freezing and frying them.

But, back to the article - rodents are eaten all over the world. It even suggests that the next time you sit down to a meal in any country, including America, check the ingredients. You may be surprised to find marmot in your souffle or chocolate mousse for dessert. Webster's defines "Marmot" as "a stout-bodied short-legged burrowing rodent with coarse fur, a short bushy tail, and very small ears." Like a wood chuck.

If you're like me, I wouldn't have read this column all the way through unless you're bored or intrigued by rodents. If you ask me, the only good place for a stinking rat is six feet under. May I never be hungry enough to consume one.

Next week: An opinion of a little more newsworthy nature. Maybe.

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Op-ed

4-H Provides Unlimited Opportunities To Youths



The Mayor's Report

Virginia Beach Mayor,
The Honorable
Meyera Oberndorf

The mission of 4-H is to assist youth, and those adults working with those youth, to gain additional knowledge, life skills, and attitudes that will further their development as self-directing, contributing, and productive members of society. Four-H is the youth development education program of the Virginia Cooperative Extension Service and is open to all youth ages 9-19.

As changes occur, 4-H has to meet those changes. Virginia Beach 4-H is committed to being responsive to changes in demography, the economy, social systems, technology, communications, school environment, the family, communities and the world view.

The 4-H program is a fun, learn-by-doing experience in which participants receive information, support and training in a group setting with opportunities to develop individual talents and skills. Four-H is an informal educational program based on the needs of youth. Four-H is:

- ✓ Community centered;
- ✓ Volunteer led;
- ✓ Extension staff supervised;
- ✓ Research based;
- ✓ Home and family oriented;
- ✓ Public and private funded;
- ✓ Responsive to change.

Four-H outreach efforts provide useful learning opportunities in special interest groups, school enrichment and instructional television. They are

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increasingly viewed as providing an introductory experience leading to longer term involvement in community groups.

Each 4-H member is enrolled in a project which involves planned learning experiences over a period of time. The 4-H teaching philosophy is "learning by doing." Project work provides for learning new knowledge, developing skills, and accepting responsibility. The local 4-H club is a laboratory for democracy in action. Youth participating in 4-H club meetings and experiencing group decision-making in an atmosphere of democratic self-government.

The positive, supporting environment of 4-H makes a substantial contribution to the well-being of participants. Constructive activity in an informal learning environment helps 4-Hers develop as contributing, productive members of society.

Four-H has a rich heritage of helping young people develop into productive citizens starting with emphasis on the home, family and education, advancing to community, state, national and international levels. 4-

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Children Acquire Their Reading Skills At Home



The VBEA Report

By Claire Polley,
President of the VA Beach
Education Association

One of the most important skills a child can acquire is that of reading. Reading is the means of securing information in our world of rapidly changing technology; it can be the source of entertainment in our leisure time; and it gives us independence in decision making and problem solving. Reading is also what our country relies on -- an informed democracy.

Where do we acquire this simple but useful skill? Reading begins at home. As a parent, you can encourage your children's natural curiosity about books and their desire to learn to read. You can help your children develop readiness to read and can support what is being taught at school. In order to begin reading, children must develop the necessary language skills. They need a degree of independence and maturity. And they must be motivated to learn to read. Children develop this reading readiness at different rates just as they learn to talk and walk at different ages.

Reading is first and foremost a form of communication. When learning to talk, children develop the concept that words communicate thoughts, emotions, and needs. When learning to read, they develop the concept that words can be communicated visually as well as orally. In order that the printed words will have meaning for them, children must have a solid foundation in language. Mastering spoken language is a key step toward mastering written language. The more experiences children have, the more they are talked to and listened to, the more stimulation they receive -- the more they will be ready to read. You can help your children develop the needed foundation in language by talking with them and listening to them.

Reading begins at home. As a parent, you can encourage your children's natural curiosity about books and their desire to learn and read.

- Talk with your child while doing things together: folding laundry, driving the car, cooking.

- Ask your child to sequence the events of the day at dinner or at bedtime.

- Discuss what you've seen on TV or read together. Ask questions: Who was your favorite character? Why? What would you have done? What do you think will happen next?

- Repeat favorite nursery rhymes and stories. If your child has memorized them, listen while the child tells them to you.

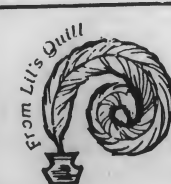
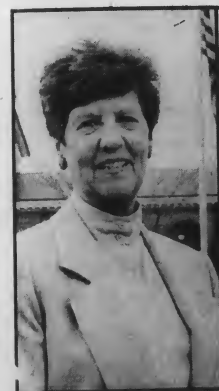
- Encourage questions and try to answer them.

Learning to read is much like learning any other skill. It requires a combination of instruction, experimentation, and practice. But the first step must be motivation. The child must want to learn to read. You can encourage your children to read by demonstrating that you think reading is important. You can help your children discover the benefits of reading: new ideas . . . relaxation . . . adventure . . . fun.

- Buy as many children's books as you can afford.
- Give books as gifts.

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Virginians Celebrate Bill Of Rights Day 1988



By Lillian Youell,
Virginia Beach Constitution
Celebration Commission
Consultant

The Bill of Rights Day commemorates acceptance of the first ten amendments to the United States Constitution by the states. Virginia became the key eleventh state to ratify these amendments. When she did so on Dec. 15, 1791, the Bill of Rights became effective.

To celebrate the sesquicentennial of that event, in 1941, President Franklin Delano Roosevelt proclaimed Dec. 15 as Bill of Rights Day. In just three years, the nation will celebrate the bicentennial of the Bill of Rights and the Constitution's bicentennial will come to a close.

The Supreme Court has held that under the Fourteenth Amendment, ratified in 1868, the Bill of Rights is binding on state governments. It is interesting to note that three of the original thirteen states - Massachusetts, Georgia and Connecticut did not ratify the Bill of Rights until 1939, the 150th anniversary of its submission to the states!

The idea of individual freedom on which this country was founded was really an "invention." Our founding fathers' ideas about personal liberty were the product of the thoughts and struggles of many men. These so-called "natural rights" were usually defined as freedom of conscience, freedom of speech, freedom of movement and freedom of property.

What was truly creative was the way our founders reversed the basic political idea of the past that government should have all rights, except those specifically granted to the citizens. They turned this concept upside down. For the first time in history, the citizens were given all rights, except those specifically granted to the government. In America, individual rights meant

The Bill of Rights is our written guarantee to the basic freedoms of speech, religion, press, assembly and petition.

freedom from government interference.

Virginians had long been concerned about individual rights. Our Declaration of Rights, authored by George Mason, became a model for other states. When the Continental Congress adopted the Declaration of Independence, penned by Thomas Jefferson, it expressed its belief in "certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness."

During the Constitutional Convention, a listing of the rights reserved to the people had been proposed, but considered unnecessary since "natural rights" dictated that the people retained all rights that they did not specifically delegate to the government. George Mason dissented and refused to sign the document because of this omission. The lack of a bill of rights proved to be a major issue during the ratification process.

When Jefferson, then minister to France, received his copy of the Constitution, he wrote James Madison a long letter explaining what he favored. "I will add now what I do not like. First, the omission of a bill of rights," which free men need to protect themselves from "every government on earth, general or particular, and what no just government should refuse, or

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Firefighters Equipped With Turn-Out Gear



Fire Safety And The Virginia Beach Fire Department

By Virginia Beach
Firefighter Stacy
Howell

1. fire retardant liner and chin strap.
2. Turn-out coat with liner (s).
3. Turn-out pants with liner (s) and suspenders.
4. Bunker boots.
5. Leather gloves with fire retardant liner.
6. Fire retardant hood.
7. SCBA facepiece with neck strap.

In the photo accompanying this article is Firefighter J.J. Csenar of Fire Station 11. As you can see, he is completely dressed in his turn-out gear. Please refer to the photo as a reference when reading the following.

Starting from the top, first is the helmet. The helmet consists of a hard plastic shell, with an inner suspension similar to that of a construction helmet. Eye protection is provided in the form of a clear plastic, flip-down eye-shield. A fire retardant liner is included that offers protection for the ears.



Photo by Stacy Howell

The chin strap is used to prevent the helmet from being knocked off the head. Helmets worn by Virginia Beach fire personnel are yellow for firefighters and white for fire officers.

Worn underneath the helmet is

Feel free to come by any Virginia Beach Fire Station to see these "turn-outs" and bring your kids along.

a fire retardant hood. This hood is made out of a fire retardant material and is designed for additional protection for the head/neck region.

Next is the turn-out coat and turn-out pants. The same materials are used in both. The outer-shell is a canvas-like material. Reflective striping is sewn to the outer-shell to make personnel more visible at night. The inner lining of both is a combination of a moisture barrier and a thermal liner. The moisture barrier is present to help stop steam burns and the thermal liner offers protection from the heat generated by the fire. Yellow coats and pants are worn by firefighters and fire captains, while command officers wear

white coats and pants. Red suspenders help hold the turn-out pants up.

Protection of the hands and feet is provided in the form of gloves and boots. The gloves are made out of leather with a fire retardant liner. The boots are made of rubber with a steel toe provided for extra protection.

Strapped to Firefighter Csenar's back is an aluminum air bottle. This air bottle holds approximately 30 minutes of air, although under heavy exertion it may last as little as 10-15 minutes. Hanging from Firefighter Csenar's neck is the facepiece for the air bottle. The facepiece is strapped on to the head prior to entering a toxic atmosphere and is

Please see Fire Safety, page 10

As everyone knows, a firefighter's main responsibility is to fight fires. In order to do so, a firefighter must be equipped with the proper protective clothing. This gear is called "turn-out gear."

In accordance with the Virginia Beach Fire Department's Standard Operating Procedure-Number 10, each firefighter is issued the following:

1. Helmet with eye protection

Community News

YMCA Holds Holiday Fun Club

The Virginia Beach YMCA will offer a Holiday Fun Club for children six to 12, the week of Dec. 26 through 30. The children may be dropped off at 8 a.m. and picked up at 6 p.m. The full day of activity will include arts and crafts, indoor and outdoor sports and games, recreational swimming, movies and field trips.

Holiday Fun Club provides a constructive, educational alternative to babysitters during this time for working parents. The full day program is the perfect solution for parents who have to work during the holidays.

Fun Club is free to children presently enrolled and only \$50 for the whole week for each newcomer. Two children may be registered for \$90; three for \$130. Children must be registered by Dec. 23. Children will need to bring a marked, non-perishable lunch and drink each day. Please contact Pamela Munden at 456-YMCA for more information.

Christmas Cantata At First Baptist

The Sanctuary Choir of First Baptist Church, will present the radiant Christmas story "Light Of His Love," created by David Scholl and Brian Carr, Sunday, Dec. 18 at 7 p.m.

The choir is accompanied by David Barbee and under the direction of Rev. Brunelle Phillips. Everyone is invited. The church is located at 35th St. and Holly Rd.

Parents Without Partners Meet

Parents Without Partners, Chapter 216, is inviting single parents of South Hampton Roads to a membership orientation on Tuesday, Dec. 13 at 8 p.m. at 4424 Lee Court.

For more information call 495-1223 or 471-6672.



The winners in the five classes, left to right, were: John Thomas, Public Utilities/Operations; George Davis III, Public Utilities/Operations; Clifford Tate, Public Works/Waste Disposal; Antonio Holloway, Public Utilities/Customer Services; and Larry Grimstead, Public Utilities/Customer Services.

The 8th annual Truck Rodeo was held recently with 23 city employees participating.

Employees Participate In Annual Truck Rodeo



Chairman Herbert C. Maher (right) congratulates George Davis, III, for his first place victory in the Single Axle Dump class.

Beach Chapel Presents Christmas Pageant

The musical drama, "Once Upon a Christmas" will be presented three times by the Virginia Beach Community Chapel sanctuary choir and drama team on Saturday, Dec. 17 at 7 p.m. and Sunday, Dec. 18 at 3 and 7 p.m. at the chapel. Admission is free. Due to limited seating, complimentary tickets are available through the chapel office or by calling 428-1881, Monday through Friday, between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. A nursery will be provided.

Orchestra Holds Messiah Sing-Along

The Virginia Beach Community Orchestra is sponsoring Tidewater's Sixth Annual Messiah Sing-Along, Monday, Dec. 19 at 8 p.m. The event is free and open to the public on a first-come, first-served basis and will be held at the Pavilion Theatre.

Musical accompaniment will be provided by the orchestra. Soloists for the evening will include Laura Reinhardt, Soprano; Merri Fraser, Contralto; William Stallsmith, Tenor; and Chuck Oliver, Bass.

Anyone interested in participating in this unique event need only come to the Pavilion Theatre and bring a "Messiah" vocal score. Scores will also be on sale at the door.

Although no rehearsal will be held, the "audience" should be prepared to sing "And the Glory of the Lord;" "He Shall Purify;" "For Unto Us a Child is Born;" "Glory to God;" "His Yoke is Easy;" and the "Hallelujah" chorus. For further information, call 471-2225.

AARP Holds Christmas Luncheon

Metro Chapter 1601 of National Association of Retired Persons will hold an installation of officers and Christmas luncheon at Holiday Inn, Greenbrier on Thursday, Dec. 15 at 11 a.m.

Reservations are required and can be made by calling Marie Havens at 479-4481.

All members are urged to attend.



Jan Harris

Just A Chat

Name: Jan Harris.

Occupation: Structural engineer.

Neighborhood: Pembroke Meadows.

Age: 32.

Marital status: Married.

Biggest accomplishment in your life: My family.

Biggest mistake in your life: I don't have anything I regret.

What do you really like about your job: There's a variety to it that I like.

What do you consider the meaning of success: Having satisfaction in what you're doing.

If you received a million dollars tomorrow, what would you do with it: Save most of it and live off of it.

What's your idea of a fun evening: Going out to a movie.

What's your idea of a fun weekend: Going out of town to get away.

What's your best personality trait: My modesty.

What's your best worst personality trait: I can be unforgiving; and carry a grudge.

What's your dream vacation: A trip to Alaska.

What's your favorite time of the year and why: Fall. I like the crisp feeling.

What's your favorite day of the week and why: Saturday - I can do whatever I like.

What's your favorite pet: A dog, but I don't own one.

Your dream car: Corvette.

Your favorite sport: I like to watch football best.

Your favorite sports team: I follow the Redskins.

What's your pet peeve: People that can't keep their promises.

What do you like to do to relax after a hard day's work: Play with my son.

What's your favorite TV program: "L.A. Law."

Your favorite movie: "Star Wars" and "Rocky."

Your favorite entertainer: Bruce Springsteen.

What's your favorite food and drink: Lasagna and beer.

What's your favorite restaurant: Bonjour Bakery and Delicatessen.

What do you think is one of the biggest problems facing the world: Overpopulation.

What do you think is one of the biggest problems facing Virginia Beach: Overpopulation.

What do you like most about Virginia Beach: The weather and the people.

A.R.E. Holds Community Gathering

The Association for Research and Enlightenment, Inc., will celebrate the holiday season with a community gathering on Sunday, Dec. 8 from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m., at the A.R.E. Visitor Center, 67th Street and Atlantic Avenue.

A.R.E. members throughout Tidewater, their families and friends are invited to the celebration which will feature caroling, refreshments, and a visit by Santa with small gifts for the children.

In addition, A. Robert Smith, editor of A.R.E.'s bimonthly magazine "Venture Inward" and author of the just-published biography of Hugh Lynn Cayce, "About My Father's Business," will be on hand to meet and talk with guests.

Those who can be invited to bring a dessert or holiday treat to share.

For more information call Karen Richards at 340-3750 before 9 p.m.

Daniels, Varney Certified PLS's

Phyllis Daniels and Sandra Varney, members of the Norfolk-Portsmouth Area Legal Secretaries Association (N-PALSA), have recently been certified by the National Association of Legal Secretaries as Certified Professional Legal Secretary (PLS).

Daniels is employed by Vandeventer, Black, Meredith & Martin and Varney is employed by Kaufman & Canoles, P.C., both of Norfolk, Virginia.

The Certified Professional Legal Secretary examination consists of seven parts: written communication skills and knowledge; ethics; legal secretarial procedures; legal secretarial accounting; legal terminology, techniques, and procedures; exercise of judgment; and legal secretarial skills.

The Professional Legal Secretary examination was first administered in 1960, and since then 2,318 legal secretaries have been certified as PLS.

For further information regarding the PLS program, please feel free to

contact Sandra Whiteside, PLS, N-PALSA's PLS chairman at 624-3271.

DAV Meets

The Virginia Beach Chapter 20 of the Disabled American Veterans, will meet Tuesday, Dec. 20 at 7:30 p.m. at 117 Sykes Avenue.

Marine Science Museum Holds Series Of Craft Demonstrations

The Textile Designer's Association will this month conduct a series of demonstrations at the Virginia Marine Science Museum.

The demonstrations are being held in conjunction with the association's Fabric Fish Fantasies, an exhibit of quilts, weaving, batiks and fabric art with a marine theme which is hanging in the museum's Changing Exhibits Gallery.

Melissa Lofquist will conduct weaving demonstrations from 1 to 5 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 17, Wednesday, Dec. 21, Tuesday, Dec. 27 and Thursday, Dec. 29.

On Wednesday, Dec. 28, Sheila F. Smith will demonstrate spinning and fiber preparation and Virginia Wright will demonstrate crazy quilting, both from 1 to 5 p.m.

The demonstrations are free with admission to the museum.

Christmas Concert At Wells Theater

The Virginia Beach Pops, under the direction of Walter Noona, will present a Christmas concert at the Wells Theater on Monday, Dec. 19, at 7 p.m.

This concert is the lead off presentation of this year's Holidayfest and is being sponsored by Computerland of Norfolk and the Norfolk Commission on the Arts and Humanities. This is the second year for the Virginia Beach Pops to perform at the Wells.

Tchaikowsky's "Sleeping Beauty Waltz" will open this seasonal concert with a storybook air of fantasy. This will be followed by Vaughn-William's adaptation of "Greensleeves" and selections from Tchaikowsky's "Nutcracker Suite." Leroy Ander-

son's music will take the audience on a "Sleighride" and celebrate familiar songs of the season in "A Christmas Festival."

Solo piano will be interwoven the orchestra when Walter Noona performs "The Warmth of Christmas," "A Christmas Trio" and "We Need A Little Christmas."

The musical celebration will come to a close with Irving Berlin's all time favorite "White Christmas" for full orchestra and a sing along for the audience.

Tickets for this event are: \$10, \$8 senior citizens, \$5 children under 12. They may be purchased by calling the Virginia Stage box office at 627-1234.

Farmers' Market Holds Christmas/Craft Fest

The Virginia Beach Farmer's Market will hold a Christmas Festival-Saturday, Dec. 17 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

A nativity scene, food drive, Christmas caroling, tree trimming and decorating, cake and cookie decorating contest will be featured. Santa will pay a visit and photos

with him will be available.

The Farmer's Market will also hold a Craft Festival Saturday, Dec. 17 and Sunday, Dec. 18 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Christmas ornaments, wreaths and Christmas decorations will be exhibited.

For further information call 427-4395.

Francis Land House Hosts Ladies Choir

The Friends of the Francis Land House will host the Ladies Handbell Choir of King's Grant Presbyterian Church, under the direction of Mrs. Janet Phelps, on Sunday, Dec. 18.

The group will play familiar Christmas carols from 4 to 4 p.m. at the Francis Land House, 3131 Virginia Beach Boulevard.

The house has been decorated for the holiday season by the Tidewater Community College students of Cheryl Jacobs and the Virginia Beach Council of Garden Clubs.

This holiday event is free and open to the public. Refreshments will be served.

For further information call 340-1732.



Kevin S. Campbell

Campbell Is Mission-Ready

Capt. Kevin S. Campbell, a 1970 graduate of Frank W. Cox High School, recently achieved Mission-Ready status in the F-16 Flying Falcon. Capt. Campbell is currently assigned to the 69th Tactical Fighter Squadron, and on his second assignment at Moody AFB, GA. He has a total of 3,000 fighter hours.

The Virginia Beach Sun News Hotline

Do you know about something going on in your community that you think should be written about or investigated by The Virginia Beach Sun?

If so, call 486-3430 and ask for the editor. If he's not in, leave a message and he'll call you back.

Community News

Bow Creek Holds Cookie Workshop

A cookie workshop will be held on Monday, Dec. 19 from 4 to 6 p.m. at the Virginia Beach Recreation Center - Bow Creek. Advanced reservations and valid facility use card or guest pass is required. For more information, call 463-0505.

Cavalier Garden Club Meets

The Cavalier Garden Club will hold its annual Christmas party on Wednesday, Dec. 14 at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Dr. and Mrs. George R.C. McGuire. Members and their guests are invited to attend. Call 428-1012 for more information.

Kempsville Rec Center Hosts Production

The Kempsville Playhouse production of "A Christmas Carol" will be performed on Friday, Dec. 16 at 7:00 p.m., on Saturday, Dec. 17 at 3 p.m. and 7:30 p.m., and on Sunday, Dec. 18 at 3 p.m.

Tickets are \$2 for adults, \$1 for children. Children under five will be admitted free. The Kempsville Playhouse is located in the Kempsville Recreation Center, 800 Monmouth Lane.

For more information, call 495-1892.

CASA Program Seeks Volunteers

A new program has been organized in the city of Virginia Beach's Domestic Relations Court to serve the abused and neglected children of Virginia Beach.

The Court Appointed Special Advocate Program (CASA) is staffed by volunteers who donate their time and talents to help these children. The main role of CASA volunteers is to conduct independent investigations for the court. They also offer the children trust and advocacy during complex legal proceedings. People over 21 years of age who like children, and are well organized are needed to volunteer for the program. Anyone interested in volunteering contact Edith Duggan at 426-5616.

Parents Without Partners Meet

Parents Without Partners, Chapter 216, is inviting single parents of South Hampton Roads to a membership orientation which will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 20 at 8 p.m. at 4424 Lee Ct. (Chicks Beach area). Those who want to know more about PWP and are considering membership can call 495-1223 or 471-6672 for more information.

Radisson Hotel Names Bloom

The Radisson Hotel Virginia Beach has announced the appointment of John C. Bloom as general manager of this new addition to the world-wide Radisson chain of properties.

Bloom, a 1971 graduate of The Rochester Institute of Technology, has over 13 years of upper level management experience in the hospitality industry.

Plante ODU Employee of Year

Richard K. Plante of Gleaning Close, acting director of the Physical Plant at Old Dominion University, has been named Employee of the Year by the university's Hourly and Classified Employees' (HACE) Association.

Plante was recognized recently at the annual Service Awards Luncheon held at the university. Also honored at the program was Pamela J. Edmonds, office services assistant in the Office of Career Development Services, who was named Rookie Employee of the Year.

Plante was selected from 42 employees nominated for the award.

YMCA Holds Kids Fun Club

The Virginia Beach YMCA will offer a Spring Break Fun Club for children six to 12, the week of March 27 through 31. The children may be signed in between 8 and 8:45 a.m. and signed out between 5 and 6 p.m. The full day of activity will include, but not be limited to, arts and crafts indoor and outdoor sports and games, recreational swimming, movies and field trips.

Spring Break Fun Club provides a constructive, educational alternative to babysitters during this time

for working parents. The full day program is the perfect solution for parents who have to work during the school vacations.

Fun Club is free to children presently enrolled and only \$50 for the whole week for each newcomer. Two children may be registered for \$90; three for \$130. Children must be registered by March 24. Children will need to bring a marked, non-perishable lunch and drink, and a towel and bathing suit each day. Please contact Pamela Menden at 456-YMCA for more information.

City Holds Annual Service Awards

The city of Virginia Beach commemorated its 18th annual Service Awards Program recently. The event was held at the Pavilion and coordinated by the Personnel Department.

The purpose of the Service Awards Program is to commend service performed by municipal employees and to encourage career employment with the city.

This year, approximately 1,800 awards were presented with cash awards totaling \$292,000.

All full-time permanent employees are eligible to participate in the Service Awards Program. Awards are based on the number of continuous months of service. Pins, certificates and cash awards are given according to the recipient's length of service.



Janice Hanbury



Susan Ainslie

R.G. Moore Announces Promotions

The R.G. Moore Building Corporation announces the following promotions:

Janice M. Hanbury has been promoted to vice-president - administration/office services. Frances and R.G. Moore announced this promotion to be effective Dec. 1

Hanbury has more than seventeen years of service with the corporation.

Susan C. Ainslie has been promoted to vice-president - sales marketing. Ainslie joined the firm in 1981 as Marketing Coordinator.



Club members Norma Clark (left) and Judy Greenwood (right).

Cavalier Garden Club Donates Trees To Camelot Nursing Home



The Cavalier Garden Club made or decorated Christmas trees to be distributed to the guests at the Camelot Nursing Home.

Council Refines Its Request For Gas Tax

By Lee Cahill
City Council Reporter

Before endorsing 17 legislative proposals for submission to the 1989 General Assembly, council recently refined its request for a local option gas tax to give the city control over the revenues raised.

The city is asking for enabling legislation to assess a two percent per gallon tax in the city which would produce approximately \$3 million per year. The tax would be levied only if a similar tax is adopted by adjoining cities in the region. The tax, in effect, would be a regional tax, probably collected by the Tidewater Regional Transit Authority.

Council added to the request, however, that all funds raised through the new revenue source be returned to the governing body of the jurisdiction with which the funds were raised and the funds be available for use for any transportation system improvement.

Also approved in the legislative package were agricultural issues relating to farmers' wholesale markets, state registration for new pesticides, cleanup of Back Bay and North Landing watersheds, non-tidal wetlands, land use assessment and transfer of development rights. (TDR).

Councilman Robert E. Fentress said that he favored direct election of school boards, but does not agree with the local proposal that the direct election be granted with limited taxing authority for the board. He said there should be only one body in the city with taxing authority.

Sheila Garrison, representing the Tidewater Builders Association, said the association would delay asking the General Assembly to grant the city authority to develop a Transfer of development rights Plan. She

said that the issue needs more details.

Also opposing the TDR proposal was William J. Holloran Jr., executive director of the Hampton Roads Chamber of Commerce, Virginia Beach. He said that research on TDR has just begun and that it has had a checkered past elsewhere.

Councilman John A. Baum asked him how many farmers he had on in the chamber. Holloran replied, "Not many."

Opposition to TDR also came from Ronald Ripley, representing the Tidewater board of Realtors. He said that a lot of questions are still unanswered. He said that \$18,000 would be added to the average cost of a house if the developer pays for a transfer right at \$10,000 to \$15,000. He said that the program has been a disaster in a number of communities.

Councilwoman Barbara Henley said that the TDR concept has been on the table for a year, and was not rushed through. She said that the city spent money to hire a consultant to make recommendations. She said she could not see spending another year on study. "If you had come up with an alternative," she said, "council would have listened." "Do you know of another plan?"

However, Gerorgette Constant-Davis, a former council candidate, said that TDR would be the first step toward enhancing the quality of life in Virginia Beach, and that it was a good time for the legislation.

Richard E. Chumme, of Kempsville, also approved the concept. He said he was former com-

missioner of agriculture for Virginia and spent the last 22 years in agriculture in New Jersey. He said that there is nothing new about TDR.

Council Adopts CIP Approves Real Estate Tax Rate Increase

By Lee Cahill
City Council Reporter

Close to the end of an eight-hour meeting, city council adopted the 1988-89/ 1992-93 Capital Improvement Program of over a billion dollars and appropriated \$310,668,574 for the first year of the program. Council also approved a real estate tax rate increase of .7 cent, not reflected in the first year budget because it will not be effective until July 1 of next year.

At the same time, council authorized the issuance of \$8 million in road bonds without setting an additional 2.1 cent tax rate increase to finance the bonds. Instead the sale of the bonds was tied to the council's ability in the future to establish a growth management plan for the area of the city south of the green line.

The authorization of the bonds before the end of the year will prevent the city from losing the \$8 million authority for the first year of the ten-year program which will provide the city with 464 million for road improvements.

The .7 cent tax rate increase will finance a \$10,710,008 ten-year program for the acquisition and development of parks and recreation land under a plan proposed by City Manager Aubrey V. Watts Jr. to take care of backlog needs.

Councilwoman Barbara Henley, who, with Mayor Meyera Oberndorf, were the only council members voting against the tax increase, said that she was reluctant to increase taxes without a growth management plan in place.

Council approved the road bond authorization by a vote of 8-2 with councilwomen Reba McClanahan and Nancy Parker dissenting (Councilwoman John L. Perry was absent) with the proviso that the bonds would not be used until council establishes a plan for the transfer of development rights (TDR) or some other growth management plan.

Henley said the city is "looking at next year as a year of great uncertainty and I think the theory of backlog is not good enough. If we can't maintain a growth strategy, a

backlog plans for roads, schools, parks are no (longer) meaningful." She complimented the staff for the parks plan, however.

Councilman Harold Heischob said that nobody likes to pay taxes but that the property the city wants was getting more and more expensive. He also proposed tying approval of the road bonds to adoption of a land growth management plan.

Council is requesting the General Assembly to pass enabling legislation which will permit the city to establish a TDR plan. Heischob said, however, that the city should not look to TDR exclusively but to that or any other acceptable plan.

Included in the first year's appropriation is \$300,000, added to the original proposal, for the purchase of land for an elementary school in the General Booth Boulevard area to replace the Wadsworth School site which will be used for other purposes.

In addition to adopting the budget and making the first-year appropriation, (Henley dissented) Council also adopted ordinances:

- Establishing the tax levy on real estate at 92.2 cents, up from 91.5 cents.

- Increased the tax levy on restaurant meals and on hotel/motel lodging from 4 to 4.5 percent effective Jan. 1.

- Authorized the issuance of general obligation bonds for \$26.3 million for various public facilities and general improvements.

- Authorized the issuance of water and sewer system revenue bonds for \$17.8 million.

- Authorized the issuance of the \$8 million in road bonds along with a resolution that none of the bonds will be issued until council has increased the real estate taxes to support the debt service and until TDR or some other growth management plan is adopted for the area of the city south of the green line.

At a public hearing on the tax increases, Lou Pace, of Hunt Club Forest, said he was against all tax increases. He also wanted to know

whether 7-Elevens were included considered restaurants.

Jimmie Capps, President of the Virginia Beach Motel Association, said that the Association and the Restaurant Association endorsed the food and lodging tax increases.

The budget will also reflect a transfer of funds to finance an alternate plan, proposed by Councilman John D. Moss for the improvement of Centerville Turnpike, a plan which, he said, would be more responsive to the concerns of the people.

The plan also involves improvements to Indian River Road and addresses the road needs in the area if the State Department of Transportation provides for another interchange for I-64.

Moss and Councilwoman Reba McClanahan strongly supported the park plan.

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School News

Manning Enters Dartmouth College

Shannon Manning, daughter of James and Betty Manning of 5361 Challedon Drive, has entered the freshman class of Dartmouth College. Manning is a 1988 graduate of Kempsville High School.

Elliot In Williams' Play

Barbara A. Elliot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Elliott, and Williams College, participated in the college theatre department's recent production of "The Good Person of Szechwan." The play by Bertolt Brecht had a run of six performances, with a student cast of 31 from all four undergraduate classes at Williams.

Cebrowski On Dean's List

Kristy Marie Cebrowski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur K. Cebrowski, was named to the Dean's List at Rosemont College for the spring semester of 1988. Cebrowski is a member of the class of 1991.

Thomas Completes Season At GSC

Frank Thomas, son of Susan Conrad and Frank Thomas, Jr., a sophomore physical education major, has completed the 1988 football season at Glenville State College in Glenville, W.Va. He played on the Pioneer squad at the running back position.

Thomas was a 1987 graduate of Hargrave Military Academy in Chatham, Va.



Frank Thomas

ECU Announces Fall Graduates

The following Virginia Beach students recently received degrees from East Carolina University:

Kimberly Anne Carper of Little John Road; Pamela Gayle Gibbles Long, Ledura Road; Matthew Storaker Shehlik, Alanton Drive; Robert Andrew Steinberg, Regal Court; Michael Christopher Timmes, Page Avenue; Michael Joseph Wyles, Sunset Point; and Amy Louise Hankins, Sangaree Circle. East Carolina University conferred degrees and certificates of advanced study on approximately 1,600 graduates at the second annual mid-year commencement recently.

Students receiving degrees completed requirements during the summer session or during the fall semester. The mid-year graduates were from 81 of the 100 counties in North Carolina and from 24 other states.

Superintendent Hosts News Conference

Journalism students and other student leaders will participate in a news conference with Division Superintendent James E. Melvin

at 2:45 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 14 in the school board room of the School Administration building.



From left are Katie Allen, Winnona Jamieson, Crystal Gwaltney and Tamara Wooten.

Cooke Students Donate Pennies To Joy Fund

Student officers of W.T. Cooke Elementary School display some of the \$193.30 worth of pennies donated by 580 students to a Norfolk newspaper's Joy Fund. The pennies were collected during the school's annual Thanksgiving assembly and given to the Joy Fund the next week.



The principals of (from left) Princess Anne High School, Kempsville Elementary School and Kempsville High School display the checks won by their students in the school division's recent Trivia Contest.

Trivia Contest Winners Earn Money For Schools

A \$300 check was received by Joseph Owens (left) for the first place win of Princess Anne High student Christopher Decker; a \$200 check was received by Charles Caldwell (right) for the second place win of Kempsville High student Samuel Lee; and a \$100 check was received by Dr. Nancy Hyatt (center) for Kempsville Elementary student David Redavid, the third place winner.

14 Beach Students Semifinalists In National Scholarship Program

Fourteen Virginia Beach high school students have been named semifinalists in national scholarship programs. Ten students are National Merit Scholarship semifinalists, one is a National Hispanic Scholar semifinalist, and three are semifinalists in the National Achievement Program for Outstanding Negro Students. Sixty-five other students received merit commendations and nine received achievement commendations.

Merit scholarship semifinalists are Robert B. Duncan, Benjamin Lazier, and David R. Perry, Kempsville High School; Johnathan W. Hughes, First Colonial High School; Walter G. Johnson, Bayside High School; Kristin L. Burr, Lisa B. Overton, and Shelley A. Sheridan, Cox High School; Robin N. Follet, Green Run High School; and Stuart R. Gluck, Kellam High School.

Achievement semifinalists are

Claudette L. Fuller and Russell A. Wider from Green Run High School and Carmen R. Johnson, Kempsville High School.

Loren Teillon of Green Run High School is a semifinalist in the National Hispanic Scholar Awards Program.

Scholarship semifinalists in the national merit and achievement programs were selected on the basis of their 1988 Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test/National Merit Qualifying Test scores. Both programs are sponsored by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC); however, they are operated and funded independently.

The National Hispanic Scholar Awards Program is funded by the Andrew Mellon Foundation and

recognizes a select group of Hispanic high school seniors for their academic achievement and promise.

Cox Announces Honor Society Students

Nineteen students were recently inducted into the National Honor Society at Frank W. Cox High School.

The fall selections for the honor were: Hayley Marie Baer, Rebecca Lynn Banks, Lester Scott Bruggemann, Salina Guliani, Lee

Justin Hark, Lee Anne Haworth, Amy Beth Josephson, Frank Walter Kattwinkel, Karen Lee Miller, Roxann Robertson, Jeffrey Paul

Scotfield, Shelley Anne Sheridan, Gregory Scott Shields, Kimberly M. Zennarola and Kathy Zinas.

School Board Announcements

The Virginia Beach Public School System announces the following events:

Dec. 15 - The Green Run High PTA will present a Reflections Winners and Choral Concert at 7 p.m.

Dec. 15 - The Independence Junior High PTA will hold a meeting at 7 p.m.

Dec. 15 - Bill of Rights Day. Dec. 15 - The Indian Lakes Elementary PTA will present a winter musical at 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 18 - "December Holidays" will be held at the Virginia Beach Planetarium at 7 p.m.

Dec. 19 - The Thoroughgood Elementary Christmas musical will be held at 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 19 - The Windsor Oaks Elementary PTA will hold a holiday concert at 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 19 - The Rosemont Elementary PTA will hold a holiday musical at 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 19 - The Woodstock Elementary PTA will hold a winter program at 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 19 - The Kings Grant Elementary PTA will meet at 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 19 - The Kempsville Meadows Elementary PTA will hold a holiday program at 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 19 - The Plaza Elementary PTA will meet and hold a Christmas play at 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 19 - The Kellam High Christmas concert will be held at 7 p.m.

Dec. 20 - The School Board will hold a public meeting at the School Administration Building in the School Board Room at 2 p.m.

Dec. 20 - The Green Run Elementary PTA will meet at 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 20 - The Arrowhead Elementary PTA will meet at 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 20 - The College Park Elementary PTA will meet at 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 20 - The North Landing Elementary PTA will hold a Christmas program at 7 p.m.

Dec. 20 - The White Oaks PTA will hold a holiday program at 7 p.m.

Dec. 20 - The Williams Elementary PTA will hold a meeting at 7 p.m.

Dec. 20 - The Shelton Park Elementary PTA will hold a Christmas program at 7 p.m.

Dec. 20 - The W.T. Cooke Elementary PTA will meet at 7 p.m.

Dec. 20 - The Bayside Elementary PTA will meet at 7 p.m.

Dec. 20 - The John B. Dey Elementary PTA will hold a meeting at 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 20 - The Lynnhaven Elementary will hold a holiday program at Plaza Junior High at 7 p.m.



Tracie Joyner (right) and Monica Starling of Williams Elementary School are dressed as pancake chefs like those in the book they are holding.

Williams Elementary Students Bring Books To Life

The third graders were helping students in the transitional first grade class (F-1) march around the school in a parade featuring books they had read. Joyner and Starling are students of teacher Linda Lamb. The parade was organized by T-1 teacher Sandra Jeffries, with costume help from parents and the Williams PTA.

Beach High Schools Host 84 Foreign Students

Eighty-four students, representing 19 countries, are enrolled in the 1988-89 foreign exchange program in Virginia Beach City Public Schools. Twenty-eight of the foreign students are pursuing regular Virginia high school

diplomas. Among the seven high schools, Green Run has the highest number of foreign exchange students. Green Run has 21; Kellam, 16; First Colonial, 14; Kempville, 13; Cox, 12; Princess Anne, 5; and Bayside, 3.

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Community News

Duke & Associates To Build New School

Duke & Associates, Inc. has been awarded the contract to provide new executive offices for the public relations firm of Barker, Campbell & Farley. The announcement was made by R. Keith Hathaway, president of Duke.

The offices will be built on the second floor of the Barker, Campbell & Farley Building at 240 Business Park Drive. Barker, Campbell & Farley currently occupy the entire first floor of the building. Construction for this project will begin immediately with completion expected by February, 1989.

WCKS Selects Ad-Ventures

WCKS-FM in Knoxville, Tenn. has selected Ad-Ventures Advertising, Inc. to develop an initial marketing plan for the radio station, including a corporate identity package and premiere advertising campaign.

The new station is scheduled to sign on before the end of the year and will cover the greater Knoxville market.

Duke And Associates Awarded Contract

Duke & Associates, Inc. has been awarded the contract to construct the new Monroe Elementary School in Norfolk. The announcement was made by R. Keith Hathaway, president of Duke.

The school will be a two-story structure of masonry and steel construction containing approximately 65,000 square feet of floor space. The school will contain a cafeteria, library and classrooms to serve 625 students. The location of the school will be at 29th Street and Newport Street in Norfolk. The total construction cost of this project is \$4,000,000.

Ground breaking for the project is scheduled for mid-December with completion set for one year later.

Lee Heads Chamber's Beach Division

R. Dean Lee has been elected chairman of the Virginia Beach division of the Hampton Roads Chamber of Commerce for 1989.

Lee follows outgoing chairman Van Cunningham (Charter Investment Group, Inc.). The new chairman will be installed at the Virginia Beach division's annual meeting Jan. 6 at the Cavalier Beach Club.

Police Look For Jewelry Thief

Virginia Beach police would like help in identifying a man who has shoplifted over \$13,000 worth of jewelry from mall stores. Crime Solvers is offering a reward of up to \$1,000 for information that will lead to his arrest.

On Monday, Nov. 7, at Pembroke Mall, and again on Wednesday, Nov. 16, at Lynnhaven Mall, a man entered a jewelry store and asked to look at diamond rings. Once he had the rings, he ran from the stores. This same man is believed to have been in other area shopping centers attempting to steal jewelry.

The man is described as white, in his late 30's, approximately six feet tall, 150 pounds, with short, neatly parted, dark graying hair. He wore glasses, was well dressed, articulate, and claimed to be a businessman from New York.

Anyone recognizing this man, or who has information about the stolen rings, should call to Crime Solvers at 427-0000. All calls are confidential and callers will not have to give their names or testify in court to collect a reward.

VWC Receives \$96,465 Bequest

A bequest of \$96,465 to Virginia Wesleyan College from the estate of Annie Mae Cole of Norfolk has been announced by President Lambuth M. Clarke.

The gift will be used to establish the Harold D. and Annie Mae Cole Endowed Scholarship with the income each year used for scholarships for deserving students.

dents.

Annie Mae Cole, who died in February 1987, was a member for many years of Ghent United Methodist Church in Norfolk, where she was a Sunday school teacher and was active in United Methodist Women. Her deceased husband, Harold D. Cole, was a Norfolk businessman.

Nelson Speaks At Commonwealth

Frannie Whitney Nelson, the founder and executive director of Hospice Care, will speak at the Virginia Beach campus of Commonwealth College. She will address the Law the Ethics Class on "Death and Dying."

Hospice Care supports patients that have six months or less life

expectancy. Nelson encourages students to learn how "to deal with death and treat the terminally ill." Hospice Care, Inc. has a Speakers Bureau and is available for club and organizational meetings.

For additional information call 491-0823.

Martirano Completes Recruit Training

Marine Pfc. Pasquale N. Martirano, son of Jo-Ann Martirano of 4613 Georgetown Place, has completed recruit training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S.C.

During the 11-week training cycle, Martirano was taught the basics of battlefield survival. He was introduced to the typical daily routine that he will experience during his enlistment and studied the personal and professional standards traditionally exhibited by Marines.

He participated in an active physical conditioning program and gained proficiency in a variety of military skills, including first aid, rifle marksmanship and close order drill. Teamwork and self-discipline were emphasized throughout the training cycle.

A 1983 graduate of First Colonial High School, he joined the Marine Corps in June 1988.

Mulcanry Completes Infantry School

Marine Pvt. Andrew J. Mulcanry, son of Peter D. and Cathy P. Tacelli of 1657 Devon Way, has completed the School of Infantry at Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, N.C.

During the six-week course Mulcanry received classroom instruction and participated in field

exercises involving infantry tactics; the construction and camouflage of fighting positions; and the use of mines, demolitions, and intra-company communications equipment.

A 1988 graduate of Bristol Central High School, he joined the Marine Corps in July 1988.

Long Reports For Duty

Marine Sgt. Fred A. Long, son of Barbara D. Long of 1117 Kittery Drive, recently reported for duty with 2nd Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Air Station, Beaufort, S.C.

A 1975 graduate of Kempville High School, he joined the Marine Corps in March 1988.

Powell Completes Infantry School

Marine Pfc. T. Powell, son of Kathy J. Powell of 5409 Albright Drive, has completed recruit training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S.C.

During the 11-week training cycle, Powell was taught the basics of battlefield survival. He was introduced to the typical daily routine that he will experience during his enlistment and studied the personal and professional standards traditionally exhibited by Marines.

He participated in an active physical conditioning program and



Jaycee volunteers check in with their assigned children before embarking on a shopping spree.

Jaycees Take Needy Kids On A Shopping Spree



Jaycee members and children meet at the Jaycee House to wrap gifts and put them under the Christmas tree. Santa Claus will visit the children at the house and give them a gift of their own.

gained proficiency in a variety of military skills, including first aid, rifle marksmanship and close order drill. Teamwork and self-discipline were emphasized throughout the training cycle.

He is a 1988 graduate of Green Run High School.

Hall Completes Basic Courses

Marine Pvt. Johnnie W. Hall, grandson of Johnnie W. Hall of 2830 Shore Drive, has completed the Marine Corps Basic Combat Engineer Course.

During the seven-week course at Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, N.C., Hall studied the fundamentals of engineering support for combat units. He received instruction on the tools and procedures for building bridges, roads and field fortifications. He also studied the use of demolitions, landmine warfare and camouflage techniques.

A 1987 graduate of George Washington High School, Danville, he joined the Marine Corps Reserves in April 1988.

Parker Reports For Duty

Marine Capt. Carl T. Parker, son of Thomas C. Parker Sr. of 1356 Drexel Circle, recently reported for duty with 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Air Station El Toro, Santa Ana, Calif.

A 1978 graduate of Kempville High School, and a 1982 graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., with a Bachelor of Science degree, he joined the Marine Corps in May 1982.

Hunter Reports For Duty

Marine Lance Cpl. Ralph D. Hunter, whose wife, Cecelia, is the daughter of Sharon M. Hunter of 2565 Oconee Ave., recently reported for duty with 2nd Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Air Station, Cherry Point, N.C.

A 1986 graduate of Oscar Frommel Smith High School, Chesapeake, he joined the Marine Corps in November 1986.

Ferguson Reports For Duty

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Scott R. Ferguson, a 1983 graduate of Princess Anne High School, recently reported for duty with the Precommissioning Unit battleship Wisconsin, based at Pascagoula, Wis.

He joined the Navy in January 1984.

Scherzo Music Club Meets

The Scherzo Music Club, of the Virginia and National Federation of Music Clubs, will present a program entitled "Music from Around the World -- Old and New" at its meeting on Wednesday, Dec. 14, at 10:30 a.m. in Ghent United Methodist Church, Norfolk.

Guests are welcome. For further information contact 424-4277 after 8 p.m.

NARP Holds Luncheon

Kempville Chapter 4212 of American Association of Retired Persons will hold the Christmas luncheon and installation banquet at Holiday Inn Executive Center, Greenwich Road, on Wednesday, Dec. 14 from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m.

Reservations are required and can be made by calling Lanny Lancaster at 474-9277.

A quilt made by some of the ladies of AARP, headed by Gertrude Gehgan will be raffled off and some of the proceeds will be used for charitable causes. Dues for 1989 are now due and can be paid at the luncheon or the January meeting, which will be held at the Kempville Recreation Center, 88 Monmouth Lane at 10 a.m. room 117 on Jan. 14 and on the second Wednesday of each month.

Any person belonging to AARP national is eligible to join the local chapter by paying the \$2 annual dues. For additional information call 420-1788.

Read Properties Signs Lease

Read Commercial Properties has announced the 30,000-square-foot expansion of Ryder Distribution Resources, Inc. in the Gordon Warehouse Building at 1385 Diamond Springs Road.

The facility will be used for office equipment distribution. Willard R. Ashburn, III, of Read Commercial Properties represented the owner in the negotiation of the lease agreement.

A & W Contractors Awarded Contract

A&W Contractors, Inc., has been awarded the contract for the construction of a water system for Belamy Manor for \$190,933.65, the low bid of 11. Approximately 350 residents will be served by the project.

Council Of Civic Organizations Hold Dinner

The Council of Civic Organizations will hold its 29th annual Christmas dinner on Wednesday, Dec. 14 from 5:30 to 11 p.m. at the historical Cavalier Oceanfront Hotel.

Mayor Meyera Oberdorf will be the guest speaker. Music will be provided by Gus Taylor. Cost of the dinner is \$20 per person.

Public Notice

Auction: 1977 Datsun 810 Serial Number: #WHL810812137 Auction Date: December 30, 1988 Time 11:00 am. at Norfolk Motor Company, 7000 N. Military Highway, Norfolk, Virginia 23518. Norfolk Motor Company Reserves the right to Bid.

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1112-14VBS

Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 6th day of December, 1988.

TODD H. BOGARDUS, Plaintiff, against REBECCA LYNN BOGARDUS, Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Docket # CH88-1499

The object of this suit is for the said plaintiff to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the said defendant, upon the grounds of living separate and apart for more than one year. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being General Delivery, St. Louis, Missouri it is

ordered that Rebecca Lynn Bogardus do appear on or before the 27th of January, 1989, and do what may be necessary to protect Her interest in this suit. It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

Frank E. Butler, III p.q.
1092 Laskin Road, Suite 110
Virginia Beach, Virginia 23451

A Copy Teste:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk

By: Linda D. Jones D.C.

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411-4VBS

Public Notice

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE CITY OF VIRGINIA BEACH

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF EVA STEIN, Deceased
SHOW CAUSE ORDER AGAINST DISTRIBUTION OF ESTATE

CHANCERY NO. CH88-3784
THIS DAY Cause Selma Coplon, Executrix of this Estate and files with leave of Court a Motion for Show Cause Order against distribution of this Estate.

It appearing to the Court that a report of the accounts of Selma Coplon, Executrix of the Estate of Eva Stein, deceased, and of the debts and demands against the Estate has been filed in the Clerk's Office, and that six months have elapsed since the qualification, on motion of the Executrix, it is ORDERED that the creditors of, and all other persons interested in this Estate show cause, if any they can, on the 20th day of January, 1989, at 10:00 a.m., before this Court at its courtroom, against the payment and delivery of the estate to the parties entitled thereto, with or without requiring refunding bond as this Court may determine.

It is further ORDERED that a duly certified copy hereof be published once a week for two successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this jurisdiction.

I ask for this:
Richard F. Broudy, Esq.
Suite 310 Pembroke One Building

281 Independence Boulevard
Virginia Beach, VA, 23455
(804) 490-1664

A Copy Teste: J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk

By Jeanette Jones D.C.

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2112-28VBS

Public Notice

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE CITY OF VIRGINIA BEACH

IN RE: ESTATE OF LILLIAN V. CASEY, DECEASED

Probate No: 85-349

CH88-3763

SHOW CAUSE ORDER

It appearing that a report of the accounts of Raymond L. Casey, Executor of the Estate of Lillian V. Casey, deceased, and of the debts and demands against her estate has been filed in the Clerk's Office, and that six months have elapsed since the qualification, on motion of Raymond L. Casey, Executor, by counsel, IT IS ORDERED that the creditors of, and all others interested in, the estate do show cause, if any they can, at 10:00 a.m. on the 6th day of January, 1989, before this Court at its courtroom against the payment and delivery of the Estate of Lillian V. Casey, deceased, to Louis Denise Casey, a surviving daughter without refunding bonds.

It is further ordered that the foregoing portion of this Order be published once a week for two successive weeks in The Virginia Sun, a newspaper published in the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia.

I ask for this:

Diane E. McNamara, attorney for Raymond L. Casey, Executor
1432 N. Great Neck Road, Suite 101

Virginia Beach, VA 23454
(804) 481-6600

A Copy Teste: J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk

By Jeanette Jones D.C.

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2112-28VBS

Public Notice

Take notice that on December 16, 1988, at 10:00 AM, at the premises of 4747 Shore Drive, Virginia Beach, Virginia, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash, reserving unto itself the right to bid, the following motor vehicle:

1979 Chevrolet Van
Serial #CGD1597132696
BAYSIDE MOTORS

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1712-14VBS

Please see Legal, page 8

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Public Notice

Auction: 1973 BUICK APOLLO
Serial Number: #4B2743N116818
Auction date: December 28, 1988
Time 11:00 am. at Norfolk Motor
Company, 7000 N. Military
Highway, Norfolk, Virginia 23518
Norfolk Motor Company
Reserves the right to Bid.
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1112-14VB5

Public Notice

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
The Board of Game and Inland Fisheries,
at a meeting held in Richmond, Virginia,
on October 28, 1988, adopted the following new
and amended regulations pursuant to Sections
29.1-501 and 29.1-502 of the Code of
Virginia, to become effective January 1,
1989.
VR 325-02-27.

Permits
§ 8. Stuffing or mounting birds and
animals—Records; inspections. Amended this
section to read as follows:

A. A holder of a permit to stuff or mount
birds and animals shall keep a complete
record of all transactions. Such records shall
include the species to be mounted or tanned;
the date of receipt; the name, address and
telephone number of the person for whom
the work is being performed; the name of the
person who killed the specimen (if different
from above); the hunting license or Virginia
driving license number of such person; the
country where the specimen was taken or, if
taken out-of-state, the state in which it was
taken; and the date the completed work was
returned to the customer. Such records shall
be retained for three years. These records, and
the premises where such business is
conducted, shall be open to inspection by
representatives of the department during
normal business hours.

B. Upon receipt of any specimen of
wildlife, a holder of a permit shall
immediately affix to such specimen a tag
bearing the designation of the species, the
name and address of the customer and the date
the specimen was killed. Such tag shall
remain affixed to the specimen, except when
the specimen is actually in the process of
being worked on, until it is delivered to the
customer. A numbered tag, with numbers
corresponding to the number of the line entry
of the records required in subsection A of this
section, may be used in lieu thereof.
VR 325-03-1.

Fishing Generally.
§ 2. Creel limits.

Amended subdivision 1 to establish a
creel limit of two bass per day in the
aggregate on Briery Creek Lake; amended
subdivision 4 to include sauger in an eight
per day aggregate creel limit for taking
walleye, yellow pike perch and sauger
statewide; repealed present subdivision 6,
relating to sauger and an exception on South
Holston Reservoir; and renumbered present
subdivision 7 as 6.
§ 3. Size limit.

Amended subdivision 1 to increase the
minimum size limit on muskellunge
statewide from 26 inches to 30 inches;
amended subdivision 3 to delete North Fork
of Pound and Beaverdam (Loudoun County)
Reservoirs and the waters of the Quantico
Marine Reservation from the present 12-inch
minimum size limit for bass; amended
subdivision 5 to establish a 12 to 15-inch,
inclusive, slot limit on bass taken from
waters of the Quantico Marine Reservation
and from Beaverdam Reservoir in Loudoun
County; amended subdivision 7 to establish
an 11 to 14-inch, inclusive, slot limit on
bass taken from North Fork Pound
Reservoir; and added a new subdivision
numbered 8 to establish an 18-inch
minimum size limit on bass taken from
Briery Creek Lake in Prince Edward County.
§ 4. Sale of game fish or catfish
prohibited.

Amended this section to also prohibit
taking freshwater mollusks or mussels for
sale.

§ 5. Permit required for importation, etc.,
of certain species.

Amended this section to add the nonnative
bait minnow rudd (genus Scardinius) and the
nonnative pond fish tilapia (genus Tilapia) to
the list of fish for which a permit must be
obtained from the department prior to
importation.

§ 6. Permit required to stock fish into
Public waters; exception.

Amended this section to require a permit
to stock any species of fish, other than trout,
in any public waters of the commonwealth.
This amendment does not restrict the use of
native species of fish in privately-owned
ponds and lakes.

§ 10. Department-owned or controlled
lakes, ponds or streams—General regulations.
Amended subsection B to clarify the
intent of the Board that the only means of
taking fish permitted at the department's
public fishing lakes and ponds is fishing
with one or more attended poles with hook
and line attached; and added a new subsection
designated F to prohibit fishing tournaments,
rodeos, etc., for which prizes are offered on
department-owned waters.
VR 325-03-2.

Trout Fishing.
§ 1. Season—General open season.

Amended this section to read as follows:
Except as otherwise specifically provided
in the sections appearing in this regulation,
the open season for taking trout shall be
from 9 a.m. the third Saturday in March
through February 1, both dates inclusive.
Except for the first day, angling during the
season in designated stocked trout waters
shall be permitted from 5 a.m. until one
hour after sunset.

BOARD OF GAME AND INLAND
FISHERIES

Henry A. Thomas, Chairman
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Public Notice

The Board of Zoning Appeals
will conduct a Public Hearing on
Wednesday, December 21, 1988, at
2:00 p.m., in the City Council
chambers of the City Hall Building,
Municipal Center, Virginia Beach,
Virginia. The staff briefing will be
held at 1:30 p.m., in the City
Council Meeting Office. The fol-
lowing applications will appear on
the agenda.

*PLEASE NOTE: IF NO ONE
APPEARS BEFORE THE
BOARD TO REPRESENT THE
APPLICATION, THE VARIANCE
COULD BE DENIED!!
REGULAR AGENDA:

Case 1: Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert
Wilson requests a variance of 5.5
feet to a 4.5 foot side yard setback
(south side) instead of 10 feet as re-
quired (proposed handicapped ramp) on
Lot 59, Section 1, Cavalier Park,
1104 Cedar Point Drive.
Lynnhaven Borough. ZONING: R-10

Case 2: Amoco Oil company re-
quests a variance of 179 square feet
in land area to 19,821 square feet in
land area instead of 20,000 square feet
of land area as required (Proposed Re-
zoning AG-2 to B-2 Commercial
District) on a parcel, Back Bay
Seaboard Association, Inc., 2404
Seaboard Road, Princess Anne Bor-
ough. ZONING: AG-2 TO B-2

Case 3: Rufus G. Baldwin III re-
quests a variance of 6 parking
spaces to 10 parking spaces instead
of 6 parking spaces as required
(Proposed 1246 square foot retail
establishment) on Lot 9, Block 50,
Virginia Beach, 309 21st Street.
Virginia Beach Borough. ZONING:
RT-3

Case 4: Josephine G. Copley re-
quests a variance of 150 square feet
of floor area to 720 square feet of
floor area instead 570 square feet of
floor area as allowed for an access-
ory structure and 10 feet to a 5
foot side yard setback (east side) in-
stead of 15 feet as required
(Proposed detached garage) on Lot
452, Section 3, Pembroke Meadows,
824 St. Martin Drive, Bayside.
Borough. ZONING: R-20

Case 5: Lloyd K. Newman re-
quests a variance of 15 feet to a 35
foot front yard setback instead of 50
feet as required (proposed dwelling)
on Lot 120, Section 5, Broad Bay
Estates, 2813 Ocean Mist Court.
Lynnhaven Borough. ZONING: R-20

Case 6: Oceans II Condominium
Owners Association requests a
variance of 2.55 feet to a 2.45 foot
setback from Atlantic Avenue in-
stead of 5 feet as required (proposed
canopy) on Lot 1, Parcel A-3,
Ocean II Condominium, 4005 At-
lantic Avenue, Virginia Beach Bor-
ough. ZONING: RT-1

Case 7: Albert N. and Diana
Jensen request a variance of 9 feet
in lot width to 91 feet in lot width
instead of 100 feet in lot width as
required and of 1,047 square feet of
land area to 18,953 square feet in
land area instead of 20,000 square
feet of land area as required
(proposed rezoning from R-5 to I-1)
on a 7.826 Acre Parcel, Birdneck
Area, 153 South Birdneck Road.
Lynnhaven Borough. ZONING: R-5
(I-1)

Case 8: John V. Neill requests a
variance of 7.85 feet to a 22.15 foot
setback from Hen House Drive in-
stead of 30 feet as required
(proposed single family dwelling)
on Lot 38, Section 2, Christopher
Farms, 2008 Hen House Drive.
Princess Anne Borough. ZONING:
R-10

Case 9: Tidewater Capital corpo-
ration requests a variance of 37
parking spaces to 95 parking spaces
instead of 132 parking spaces as re-
quired (office building) on Parcel 5,
Pembroke area, Columbus Street
and Kellam Road, Bayside Borough.
ZONING: B-3

Case 10: Preston Greene requests
a variance of 8 feet to a 2 foot side
yard setback (west side) and of 7
feet to a 3 foot side yard setback
(east side) instead of 10 feet each as
required and of 675 square feet in
floor area to 2,080 square feet of
floor area instead of 1,575 square
feet of floor area as allowed and to
allow 71 percent in lot coverage
instead of 35 percent in lot coverage
as allowed and of 2 parking spaces
to 2 parking spaces instead of 4
parking spaces as required (proposed
(2) story duplex) on Lot 36, Block
8, Chesapeake Park, 4400 Block of
Ocean View Avenue, Bayside Bor-
ough. ZONING: R-5R

Case 11: R.G. Moore Building
Corporation requests a variance to
allow perimeter drive aisles within
the 15 foot minimum yard require-
ment along the northern, eastern
and western property lines where
prohibited and to waive the category
IV landscape screening in the yard
where required (proposed self storage
facility) on a parcel, Glenwood,
South Independence Boulevard at
Salem Road, Kempville Borough.
ZONING: B-2

Case 12: Robert F. Jordan re-
quests a variance of 6 feet to a 4
foot side and rear yard setbacks

(southwest corner) instead of 10 feet
each as required (accessory building
- storage shed) on Lot 23, Lynn
Shores, 616 East Lynn Shores Cir-
cle. Kempville Borough. ZON-
ING: R-15

Case 13: Wichtuck One
Partnership requests a variance of
21 feet to a 9 foot setback from
Cleveland Street instead of 30 feet
as required (proposed canopy) on a
1.965 Acre Parcel, Commerce Park,
5101 Cleveland Street. Bayside
Borough. ZONING: I-1

Case 14: William and Kathleen
Grothoff requests a variance of 9
feet to an 11 foot rear yard setback
(south side) instead of 20 feet as re-
quired (proposed residential addition)
on Lot 15, Block 2, Section 2,
Windsor Woods, 3729 Starlighter
Drive. Kempville Borough. ZON-
ING: R-7.5

Case 15: Margot Disbrow re-
quests a variance of 19.1 feet to a
10.9 foot setback from Poinciana
Drive instead of 30 feet as required
(residential addition) on Lot 384,
Flat #2, Cape Story by the Sea,
221 Maple Street. Lynnhaven
Borough. ZONING: R-10

Case 16: Dr. Carl Hall requests a
variance of 8.5 feet to a 21.5 foot
setback from Berrywood Road and
of 5 feet to a 25 foot setback from
Berrywood Court instead of 30 feet
each as required and of 4.5 to a 5.5
foot side yard setback (north side)
and of 9 feet to a 1 foot rear yard
setback (west side) instead of 10
feet each as required (proposed
swimming pool and storage shed)
on Lot 263, Section 2, Bellamy
Woods, 4700 Berrywood Court.
Kempville Borough. ZONING: R-10

DEFERRED AGENDA:
Case D-1: Overhead Limited
Partnership requests a variance to
waive the 6 foot fence and Category
VI landscaping where required for an
automobile repair garage on a parcel,
College Park, 736 South Millitary
Highway. Kempville Borough.
ZONING: I-1

Case D-2: Denny P. Cobb re-
quests a variance of 10 feet to a 20
foot setback from Fort Raleigh
Drive instead of 30 feet as required
(proposed dwelling) on Lot 1A,
Block 45, Lake Christine Croatan,
Fort Raleigh Drive. Lynnhaven
Borough. ZONING: R-10

Case D-3: Mike and Theresia
Sabin requests a variance to allow
parking of major recreational
equipment in front of a building
instead of behind the nearest portion
of a building adjacent to a public
street on Lot 31, Block 3, Section
8, Windsor Woods, 217 Parkway
Court. Kempville Borough. ZON-
ING: R-6

Case D-4: Granville M. Johns,
Jr. requests a variance to allow
parking of major recreational
equipment in front of a building
instead of behind the nearest portion
of a building adjacent to a public
street on Lot 7, Block 42, Section
5, Princess Anne Plaza, 424 Ap-
pian Avenue. Lynnhaven Borough.
ZONING: R-6

Case D-5: Maurice C. Furrow
requests a variance to allow parking
of major recreational equipment in
front of a building instead of behind
the nearest portion of a building
adjacent to a public street on Lot 8,
Block 6, Windsor Woods, 420
Presidential Boulevard. Lynnhaven
Borough. ZONING: R-6

*PLEASE NOTE: IF NO ONE
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BOARD TO REPRESENT THE
APPLICATION, THE VARIANCE
COULD BE DENIED!!!
James A. Wood
Secretary

11-5
2112-14VB5

Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Cir-
cuit Court of the City of Virginia
Beach, on the 28th day of Novem-
ber, 1988, DANIEL A. VINER,
Plaintiff, against ELOUISE C.
MOON VINER, Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
Docket #CH88-3602

This object of this suit is for the
plaintiff to obtain a divorce a Vin-
culo Matrimonii from the said de-
fendant, upon the grounds of willful
desertion or abandonment: alterna-
tively, a divorce Vinculo Matrimo-
nii on the grounds that the parties
have lived separate and apart,
without co-habitation and without
interruption for a period exceeding
one year and an affidavit having
been made and filed that the defend-
ent is not a resident of the State of
Virginia, the last known post office
address being 1233 Remount Road,
North Charleston, South Carolina,
29406, it is ordered that ELOUISE
C. MOON VINER do appear on or
before the 19th of January, 1989,
and do what may be necessary to
protect her interest in this suit. It is
further Ordered that a copy of this
Order be published once each week
for four successive weeks in the
Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of
general circulation in this city.

A Copy Teste:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk

Raymond W. Bjorkman D.C.
John O. Venner p.q.
Attorney at Law
2840 South Lynnhaven Road
Virginia Beach, Virginia, 23452
11-2
4112-28VB5

Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Cir-
cuit Court of the City of Virginia
Beach, on the 30th day of Novem-
ber, 1988.

SUSAN ELIZABETH GERTZ,
Plaintiff, against CHARLES
MELVIN GERTZ, Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
Docket #CH88-3346

The object of this suit is for the
plaintiff to obtain a divorce a Vin-
culo Matrimonii from the said de-
fendant, upon the grounds of con-
tinuous and uninterrupted desertion
for a period in excess of one year.
And an affidavit having been made
and filed that the defendant is not a
resident of the State of Virginia, the
last known post office address being
Lot 29, Shad Road, Corolla, NC,
27927, and the plaintiff having ex-
ercised due diligence in trying to
ascertain same, having engaged pri-
vate detectives, made inquiries of
friends and relatives, and worked
through the police department, it is
ordered that CHARLES MELVIN
GERTZ do appear on or before the
23rd of January, 1989, and do what
may be necessary to protect his in-
terest in this suit. It is further Or-
dered that a copy of this Order be
published once each week for four
successive weeks in the Virginia
Beach Sun, a newspaper of general
circulation in this city.

A Copy Teste:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By: Raymond W. Bjorkman D.C.
Beril M. Abraham p.q.
Pender & Coward
Attorneys at Law
Fourth Floor, Greenwich Centre
192 Ballard Court
Va. Beach, Virginia, 23462
11-4
4112-28VB5

Public Notice

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office
of the Circuit Court of the City of
Virginia Beach, on the 18th day of
November, 1988.

In re: NAME CHANGE of
CARI LYNN WASTENEYS-MAL-
LINOWSKI TO CARI LYNN
WASTENEYS

By: JUDITH ALICE
WASTENEYS, Petitioner
To: STEVE CRAIG MALI-
NOWSKI, 449 Linwood Drive,
Riverside, CA 92506.

IN CHANCERY #CH88-3338
ORDER OF PUBLICATION
This day came JUDITH ALICE
WASTENEYS, Petitioner, and
represented that the object of this
proceeding is to effect the Name
Change of the above named infant,
CARI LYNN WASTENEYS-MA-

LINOWSKI, by JUDITH ALICE
WASTENEYS and affidavit having
been made and filed that STEVE
CRAIG MALINOWSKI a natural
parent of said child, is a non-resi-
dent of the State of Virginia, the
last known post office address be-
ing: 449 Linwood Drive, Riverside,
CA 92506.

It is therefore Ordered that the
said STEVE CRAIG MALINOWSKI
appear before this Court within (10)
days after publication of this Order
and indicate his attitude toward the
proposed Name Change or other-
wise do what is necessary to protect
his interest in this matter.

It is further Ordered that a copy
of this Order be published once each
week for four successive weeks in
the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspa-
per of general circulation in this
city.

A Copy Teste:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By: Linda D. Jones
Walter R. Koball, Esquire p.q.
tidewater Legal aid society
3500 Virginia Beach Blvd.
Suite 308, Little Neck towers
Virginia Beach, VA 23452
10-5
4112-21VB5

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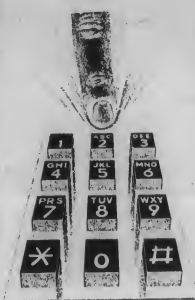
In the Clerk's Office of the Cir-
cuit Court of the city of Virginia
Beach, on the 15th day of Novem-
ber, 1988, M. Gwendolyn Marrone,
Plaintiff, against Frank T. Marrone,
Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
Docket #CH88-2722

The object of this suit is for the
said plaintiff to obtain a divorce A
Mensa Et Thoro to be in due course
merged into a decree A Vinculo
Matrimonii from the said defendant,
upon the grounds of Constructive
Desertion and Cruelty with reason-
able apprehension of bodily harm.
And an affidavit having been made
and filed that the defendant is not a
resident of the State of Virginia, the
last known post office address being
777 Deer Lake Drive, Virginia
Beach, Virginia 23462, and that due
diligence has been used by and on
behalf of the plaintiff to ascertain in
what county or corporation the de-
fendant is, without effect it is or-
dered that Frank T. Marrone do ap-
pear on or before the 6th of Janu-
ary, 1989, and do what may be
necessary to protect his interest in
this suit. It is further Ordered that a
copy of this order be published
once each week for four successive
weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun,
a newspaper of general circulation in
this city.

A copy-Teste:
Marlene Woodall p.q.
1657 Virginia Beach Blvd.
Virginia Beach, VA 23454
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By: Linda D. Jones D.C.
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4112-14VB5

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Wool added that there are many mental patients in the Virginia Beach area who don't have adequate health insurance. This poses a major problem since these patients

can't afford a specialty facility.

"We're going to use all the resources of the South Hampton Roads boards to set up a crisis stabilization center in this region,"

Trees

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cas in the Little Neck area," Jackson said.

He said that sometimes after homes are developed, the trees that occupied the lot before are replanted, Jackson said that's okay with him.

"I'm pro-tree, but I'm a realist!" he said.

Attempts to contact Councilwoman Reba McClanahan, a tree advocate; and Steve Magula, president of the Tidewater Builders' Association, were unsuccessful.

Hospice Care

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their own funerals. Sometimes Hospice Care will find free hospital beds or pay for pain medication for the terminally ill.

"We try to create an environment where they feel safe about talking about their fears," Nelson said. "We help them with what to say and do around terminally ill people."

In many cases, Hospice Care stays with families of the ill up to one year after the patient's death. There is no fee for Hospice Care's service. The program runs on memorial and charitable donations and has received grants from the city of Virginia Beach.

Nelson, who is often asked to speak publicly on her program, is in the process of writing a book, "Managing the Inevitable." She is also planning a trip to England where she will meet with Dame Cicely Saunders at the Hospice of St. Christopher's, the first hospice program ever.

Jones Completes Dental School

Navy Dentalman Apprentice Annette M. Jones, daughter of Shirley A. and John W. Jones Sr. of 5189 Holly Farms Drive, recently completed the Basic Dental Assistant Course at the Naval School of Dental Assisting and Technology, Naval Station San Diego.

During the course, Jones received instruction in medical and Dental Fundamentals, Dental Operatory Equipment, Intra-oral Radiology, immediate life-saving procedures, sterilization and disinfection, preventive dentistry, oral examination and operative dentistry assisting, emergency first aid and casualty care, along with receptionist and clerical duties.

A 1986 graduate of Bayside High School, she joined the Navy in April 1988.

Gore Reports For Duty

Navy Lt. Kent S. Gore, son of Leslie B. and Effie J. Gore of 913 Holladay Point, recently reported for duty with 2nd Force Service Support Group Camp Lejeune, N.C.

A 1972 graduate of First Colonial High School, he joined the Navy in October 1982.

Montoya Completes Recruit Training

Marine Pvt. Michael R. Montoya, son of Angelita R. Montoya of 1828 Hidden Valley Drive, has completed recruit training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S.C.

During the 11-week training cycle, Montoya was taught the basics of battlefield survival. He was introduced to the typical daily routine that he will experience during his enlistment and studied the personal and professional standards traditionally exhibited by Marines.

He participated in an active physical conditioning program and gained proficiency in a variety of military skills, including first aid, rifle marksmanship and close order drill. Teamwork and self-discipline were emphasized throughout the training cycle.

He is a 1988 graduate of Green Run High School.

Facelift

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toll road, the Virginia Beach-Norfolk Expressway."

The \$624,503 project began two months ago and is expected to be complete by May 1, 1989. Rowan added that the contract includes a three-year maintenance period, in which the contractor, Davis Brothers Nursery, Inc., is required to maintain the plants.

The project, which runs from Newtown Road to just past Bird-

neck Road, is about 75 percent finished. Rowan said they receive shipments of certain types of plants and plant them in various locations.

"We specify what size we want for each type of plant," he said.

Among the plants included in the landscaping project are red and white crape myrtles, purple leaf plums, red tip photinia, panthers' grass, tulip trees, live oaks, hollies and pines.

Mayor's Report

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Hers participate in "Know Your Government" projects and study other dimensions of citizenship ranging from heritage and family to community and nation.

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This article was compiled through the courtesy and assistance of Louis Cullipher, director of Agriculture and VPI Extension Service, and his staff.

"I got a lot of calls and sold it"

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VBEA Report

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rest on inference."

At Virginia's ratifying convention in June 1788, forty amendments were proposed and sent with the ratification document. The Federalists, supporters of the Constitution, approved these proposed amendments to guarantee public liberty and individual rights in order to appease the Anti-Federalists and encourage their support of the new government.

James Madison pledged to introduce such amendments should he be elected to the new Congress. In fact, Madison had been defeated in his quest for a Senate seat and it was only because of this pledge that he was elected over James Monroe to the House of Representatives. He kept his promise and introduced a bill of rights during the first session of the First Congress under the Constitution.

On Sept. 25, 1788, both Houses approved twelve amendments to be sent to the states for ratification. Ten of these amendments were ratified by the necessary number of states within two years. Although we call these amendments the Bill of Rights, the word "right" does not appear anywhere in the Constitution. While the first eight amendments describe the funda-

mental liberties of the people, amendments nine and ten forbid the government to violate these and other rights.

Some scholars have suggested that, as the nation prepares for this final bicentennial celebration, we should include the "Extended" Bill of Rights in our commemoration, especially the 13th, 14th and 15th Amendments.

At a recent meeting of the Constitution's Celebration Commission, Mary S. Bruner, chairman, discussed special events planned for 1989 to celebrate the 200th anniversary of the organization of the new government under the Constitution.

After all, 1789 was a red-letter year as it was the year the Constitution went into effect. The first president was elected, the first Congress met, the first Judiciary Act was passed, and the first amendments were submitted to the states for ratification.

The Commission's long-range plans include ways to commemorate the Bill of Rights. It is hoped that by Dec. 15, 1991, the seedlings from historic trees now in the city nursery will be ready for planting as a living legacy. A site beside the Francis Land House has been dedicated for this commemorative grove.

A dramatic way to attract attention to our various rights would be to take some of them away. How would you react if you opened the morning newspaper and part of it was blacked out - censored? What if you went to church and found the door barred with a sign "Closed by order of the Government. The Governor does not support this religion." Perhaps students should write the script for a trial without including any of the safeguards.

Adoption of the Bill of Rights was more than a mere legislative addendum. These amendments became an integral part of the Constitution and their pronouncements assured our rights. They did not, however, assure our privileges.

Many may be unaware of the distinction. A privilege involves some sort of qualifying entitlement. For example, you have no right to drive a motor vehicle. You have to be qualified. This is a privilege granted by the state conditionally. Perhaps one of the best examples of a right is the triply guaranteed right afforded by the Constitution to trial by jury.

Oftentimes, we hear respected consumer reporters exhort us to get a written guarantee. The Bill of Rights is our written guarantee to the basic freedoms of speech, religion, press, assembly, and petition. Our Extended Bill of Rights assures "due process" and "equal protection of the laws."

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Judge Throws First Six Counts Of Robert Jones' Lawsuit Out Of Court

By Karen Dalrymple
Staff Writer

The first six counts of former Mayor Robert G. Jones' 17-count lawsuit against The Virginian-Pilot and The Ledger-Star, were recently thrown out of a circuit court.

Jones, who could not be reached for comment, is suing the papers for \$19.8 million for stories, editorials and cartoons that allegedly damaged his personal and professional reputations.

According to published reports, Judge Douglas W. Murphy ruled that Jones failed to file in time to sue the newspapers for articles that appeared before Oct. 13, 1987. Jones filed a \$6.6 million lawsuit against the newspapers in May 1987, but it was terminated volun-

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tarily by Jones. The remainder of the counts are in reference to articles that appeared in the newspapers between Jan. 30 and August 4 of this year.

Jones previously told The Sun that the trial is expected to take place this spring or summer and it is not known whether Jones still plans on suing for the full amount of \$19.8 million.



Ron Makela presents former CCO president Lee Banks with a plaque acknowledging all the work he did over the past year.

CCO Installs New Officers

The Council of Civic Organizations recently held its annual Christmas dinner and installation of new officers and directors. See page 8 for more photos and information.

Fuentes And Val Battle For \$150 Million Navy Computer Contract

By Karen Dalrymple
Staff Writer

Computer tycoons R. Alan Fuentes, founder of Computer Dynamics Inc. and Herbert E. Valentine, of Systems Management American Corporation, are battling for a \$150 million Navy computer contract that neither of them may receive.

Fuentes, who could not be reached for comment, was tentatively awarded the contract but was recently told by the Small Business Administration that he was too wealthy to qualify for a program designed to help minority businesses.

According to published reports, Fuentes, who is Hispanic, is accusing Valentine, who is black, of also being a millionaire, therefore also disqualifying him for minority aid. Valentine could not be reached for comment but his director of public relations said, "We're

Fuentes, who is Hispanic, is accusing Valentine, who is black, of also being a millionaire, therefore also disqualifying him for minority aid.

really not going to comment on this anymore."

New guidelines were recently set for participation in the Defense Department program. Minority company owners who had less than \$750,000 in assets, not including their financial interest in their companies or their private homes. The new law won't go into effect until June 1, according to published reports.

Under the present law, which includes equity in the home and business, Fuentes is over the financial limit.

Please see Contract, page 12

"Old Mr. Beasley" May Become Household Word

By Karen Dalrymple
Staff Writer

At times he may look like an old man, but in actuality Tim Beasley, alias, "Old Mr. Beasley," is a 36-year-old comedy actor.

The white hair, poor posture and cane are just props for the one-man act that started out playing nightclubs. Beasley said he is now striving to have his character become a commercial spokesperson.

"I want to be recognized as a professional," Beasley said. "I'm getting more acceptance everyday."

Beasley's humor is something he said he was born with. Born in Radford, Va., Beasley grew up in Roanoke where he wished to pursue a career in radio broadcasting. A lack of funds prohibited Beasley's aspiration, so he "decided to pursue my labor of love (comedy acting)."

Beasley began participating with radio stations making up jingles. When he began winning contests, he came to Virginia Beach for the opportunity and because "they're a little livelier set."

In 1981, Beasley began attending comedy shows at Old Dominion University's Webb Center. Soon he

During his shows, Beasley tells "zany, wild stories" about the problems of old age, modern life, family and old characters he once knew.



"Old Mr. Beasley"

was performing Wizard of Oz and Tarzan comedy shows of his own.

"I beat out a troupe of dancing girls. When Mr. B. came on stage, the house came down," Beasley said.

Because Beasley started winning all his talent competitions, he couldn't compete as an amateur. Please see Beasley, page 6



The city of Virginia Beach was recently presented an Award for Patriotic Service through the United States Savings Bond Program. The award was presented by Kim Treat (left), district director of the United States Treasury Department to Mayor Meyera E. Oberndorf. Also pictured are City Manager, Aubrey V. Watts, Jr. and Savings Bond Drive Coordinator, Les White (right).

Virginia Beach Receives Patriotic Service Award

The city of Virginia Beach reached its Savings Bond Campaign goal of increasing participation by 100%. 347 individuals presently participate in this Payroll Savings Plan. 175 new participants were recruited during the city wide Savings Bond Campaign.

Princess Anne Graduate Stars In Italian-Made Movie "Blue Angel Café"

By Karen Dalrymple
Staff Writer

When he graduated from Princess Anne High School in 1970, Richard Brown had no idea he would become involved in the glamorous world of acting.

"It wasn't the thing to do, but I always had a secret desire," Brown said.

His secret desire recently brought him from Los Angeles, Calif. back to his home town to star in "Blue Angel Café," a movie filmed on a 90-acre estate near the Princess Anne Courthouse.

The principle actors were cast in Los Angeles, including Tara Buckman, Brown's co-star and former Princess Anne High classmate. Buckman plays opposite Brown, who was cast as a young man running for governor. His political dreams are shattered after having an affair and losing his wife.

The movie, made by Italian film company, Filmirage of Rome, is expected to air on HBO this spring and may possibly be released in the



Brown

United States as a feature film.

Brown got involved in small theater while taking extension courses at Cornell University in upstate New York. His interest in acting led him to Los Angeles, where he began modeling and taking acting classes at UCLA. Then things started looking up.

In his first film, Brown starred. Please see Brown, page 6

Personality Profile

From A "Rough City" To Portsmouth TCC

By Laura Salazar Planeta
Staff Writer

The thirty-one-year-old Kevin Thomas Cotter grew up in the "rough city" of South Philadelphia. "I went to Bishop Newman High School, an all Catholic boy's school run by Jesuit priests," said Cotter. "My father went there also."

Cotter, a Virginia Beach resident who lives in Hilltop and an electronics instructor at the Portsmouth campus of Tidewater Community College, began dabbling in electronics at the age of nine.

"I was intrigued at a young age when I fixed a radio," said Cotter. "I like electronics because I like to fix things and see them work properly."

Cotter said that his father died when he was 15. "I helped provide for my family after my father died. I worked off-loading trucks and working inventory in a clothing store," said Cotter.

Although Cotter said that he lived in a "lower to middle class

TCC also had a program that allowed Cotter to transfer to Old Dominion University as a junior. Cotter did this routine for three years and graduated cum laude with a 3.4 grade point average.

white ghetto," he added that his relationship with his family was a "very close one."

Cotter graduated from high school in 1975. "The school was very strict, but they did an effective job of teaching. The priests gained our respect," said Cotter.

"The one major lesson I learned from the school was that I needed to apply myself to the books," said Cotter. "I graduated 73 out of 756 students." Cotter was also most valued player for track and played tennis.

After graduating from high school, Cotter studied criminology at Temple University for two months and was a member of the football team.

He dropped out of college because he said that he wasn't happy. "I took my dad's advice when he was on his deathbed," said Cotter.

"He said that if I wasn't happy, I should join the Navy."

In 1975, Cotter joined the Navy and was later discharged in 1979 as a radioman second class. "I had the opportunity to travel to places for free," he said.

Cotter visited Spain, Nova Scotia, England, Jamaica, Haiti, Nassau and Cuba. "I liked Scotland the best because of the countryside."

After the Navy, Cotter worked for one year as an electronics technician for Amex. In 1981, he met his wife Lynne Anne. Lynne Anne was an airline attendant until the couple had their first child.

During this time, Cotter was working for Grumman Aerospace during the day and attending classes at the Virginia Beach campus of TCC in the evening.

"I was pursuing an associates de-

gree in electronic engineering technology," said Cotter. "I picked a community college because it had been a while since I was in school."

TCC also had a program that allowed Cotter to transfer to Old Dominion University as a junior. Cotter did this routine for three years and graduated cum laude with a 3.4 grade point average, he said.

In 1983, Cotter transferred to ODU and received a bachelor's of science degree in 1986 in electronics engineering technology.

After graduation, the Cotters moved to Florida because of his job with Grumman. "Florida was a perpetual vacation," he said. Cotter remained with Grumman for eight years and then began working as an electronics instructor for the Portsmouth campus of TCC.

"I like practicing and teaching electronics," said Cotter. "I get satisfaction when I see a student who doesn't understand and then later undergoes a transformation and does understand."

Cotter said that if he could live



Kevin Cotter

anywhere he would like to live in the Shenandoah Valley in Virginia. "I enjoy playing tennis in my free time," he added.

The only thing Cotter said he regrets is not starting toward his degree at an earlier age. Cotter has scheduled entry-level classes with the approval of his division head. The classes will be offered in the spring, summer and fall at TCC so that interested electronics students can start classes whenever he or she would like to start.

According to a press release, Cotter has also been working with TCC's Virginia Beach campus to establish an arrangement so that Portsmouth campus students can take an electronics course at the beach and vice versa.

Cotter has two daughters, Elizabeth Cantrell, 6 and Robin Lynne, 3. Cotter's mother works for Philadelphia National Bank in Pennsylvania. Cotter said that he loves his family because he enjoys watching his children grow.

Call A Taxi After Holiday Parties

Many members of the community will be attending Christmas and New Year's parties this holiday season. Holidays are a time to celebrate, but not to drink and drive.

Arrests for driving under the influence are continuing to be made at a record pace in Virginia Beach. As a result of the police department's continuing efforts to make the highways safer and to remove the alcohol/drug impaired drivers from the streets, 393 individuals were arrested during the month of October this year. This is the highest monthly total ever.

Year-to-date totals through the end of October this year indicate 2,910 DUI arrests have been made by department personnel. This figure already exceeds the entire 1987 calendar year total of 2,812. This trend is expected to continue with a concerted effort aimed at making our highways a safer place.

If you plan on attending holiday bashes, either don't drink and be the designated driver, or call a taxi. Many taxi companies provide discounted and sometimes free service around the holidays due to the amount of intoxicated drivers.

This year, be a responsible driver and avoid becoming a statistic. -K.L.D.



"HEY, DAD... CAN I FAX A LETTER TO SANTA?"

Council Says No To New Hop-In

By Lee Cahill
City Council Reporter

The Hop-In fast food chain hopped into Virginia Beach on the wrong foot and can hop right out again, so far as the city fathers are concerned, unless it changes its ways -- its buildings, mainly.

And what's good for the city of Chesapeake next door, isn't necessarily good for Virginia Beach, a sentiment often heard in Chesapeake, in reverse.

When James A. Tinkham Jr., representing Hop-In showed council a picture of a Hop-In like the one the company is planning to build at the corner of Independence Boulevard and Princess Anne Road in the Green Run Planned Unit Development, Councilwoman Reba McClanahan sniffed. "That's the one on Volvo Parkway in Chesapeake? I went to see that...it may be what Chesapeake considers upscale but I'm hoping we'll have something better."

Tinkham had requested a modification of the land use plan for Green Run to allow gasoline pumps in conjunction with a convenience store on a 43,298.64 square foot parcel at the southeast corner of Independence Boulevard and Princess Anne Road.

Doug Talbot, a general partner in the enterprise, also a local planner and engineer, said that only six gas stations serve the Green Run area, one for every 2500 people in Green Run, and that the Hop-In will have three times as much landscaping as a conventional store.

When Councilman John A. Baum moved to approve the application, McClanahan said, "These Hop-Ins are terrible looking stores and this one is no better."

"Hop-Ins have a definite appearance," added Vice Mayor Robert V. Fentress. "The canopies make them look odd."

Chimed in Mayor Meyera Oberdorf, what was probably the first Hop-In in the city is on Parliament Drive in her neighborhood, "and that's a sight!"

Said Talbot, "This is the end of my Hop-Ins and I'm hopping out." He added that it had been two years since he was last before council and that it would be probably be two years before he comes before council again.

The application was approved by a vote of 6-5 with the direction that the establishment constructed be aesthetically pleasing to the planning staff. Voting against approval were Councilwomen Barbara Henley, Nancy Parker and McClanahan, Councilman John D. Moss, and Oberdorf.

Council Requests Two Charter Changes

By Lee Cahill
City Council Reporter

City council will send to the 1989 General Assembly requests for two charter changes.

Of the original four proposed changes, eliminated one, changed another substantially enough to remove it as a charter change and approved the remaining two as originally recommended.

Knocked down by a 5-6 vote was a proposed code change to allow council to amortize non-conforming signs and billboards. The provision would have allowed the city to accelerate the process of eliminating signs and billboards that do not conform with the city's newer, more restrictive ordinances. Council members opposing the legislation believe that the law would take away individual property rights.

Council also changed its request regarding fire safety regulations from a charter change to state-wide legislation.

The resolution approved by council requests the state to adopt changes to allow all localities in the state to have stricter regulations. Vice Mayor Robert E. Fentress, who proposed the change, said that fire regulations proposed in real hazards in the city and that

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Weatherproof Your Skin This Winter

Winter has arrived in Virginia Beach. Time for cold-weather activities such as snowball fights, weekend ski vacations and coping with dry chapped skin.

While most of us are bundling up to protect ourselves from the season's chill, many of us will neglect to protect our face against winter's crisp, cold air.

Cold winds and freezing temperatures can tend to dry the skin, leaving the skin tight, itchy and uncomfortable. Your skin may also get a dose of dryness from indoor heated air. It is important to develop an effective winter regimen that keeps your face healthy.

To weatherproof your face, keep skin clean and well moisturized. Proper cleansing lifts impurities away to be rinsed off, while moisturizing helps prevent water loss due to winter's low humidity and wind.

Remember guys, your skin may be sensitive too. Facing the cold winter is bad enough. The least we could do is look good! - K.L.D.

Take Safety Precautions During The Holidays

Christmas is a time of joy, but sometimes unexpected tragedies can occur. To ensure that your holiday will be a safe one, protect you family by following these tips:

- * Buy only a fresh Christmas tree - one whose needles are moist and soft. Stand it in a water filled container to keep it from drying out.

- * If you buy an artificial tree, be sure it is certified as flame retardant.

- * Place the tree in a cool area, never near a heater or the fireplace.

- * Never set up electrical toys, such as trains, near the tree where sparks could ignite them.

- * Check Christmas lights for worn wires and loose sockets.

- * Don't leave the tree lights on at night or when no one is around to watch.

- * Avoid sudden flare ups in the fireplace which can be caused by burning wrapping paper or cardboard boxes.

- * Always keep a screen in front of the fireplace.

Don't let your Christmas go up in smoke. Many Virginia Beach families lose their personal belongings during the holidays because they didn't take precautions. Have a safe and happy holiday. - K.L.D.

Picture Taking For The Holidays

Imagine what it must have been like decades ago when everything was recorded in written form. Scribes tediously took down all that occurred. However, no matter accurate he was, it never failed that some important detail or fact was inadvertently left out.

The wonder of photography now replaces that ancient art. Now we can take pictures of special events, or even everyday happenings in our daily lives.

A camera is very handy around the holiday season. For this reason, a list of picture taking tips follow.

For best results, try for candid shots, photographing subjects when they least expect it.

Move in close. The most effective instant pictures have a subject that fills the frame against a simple background. The closer you get, the better the results. Be sure to keep beyond your camera's minimum distance.

Pick colorful subjects. Rich bright colors should be easy to find around Christmas time.

Keep it simple. Avoid cluttered backgrounds that would distract from the central subject of the picture. If necessary, remove the distracting elements from the picture or shoot from a different position.

Watch for good "people" shots. The instant pictures you take of your family and friends will be among your favorites.

Take these tips into consideration when taking holiday pictures, or everyday pictures and you will be pleased with the results. - L.S.P.

Letters to the Editor

Volunteer Spirit Will Keep Holidays Alive

Editor:

During the holiday season I'm always pleased to see a surge of newspaper and TV reports about the 440,000 community volunteers who serve through our Action programs. It is well-earned and well-timed recognition. America's volunteers truly embody the season's spirit of giving and caring. But this is also a good time to recognize that volunteer efforts are not mere "feel-good" stories to warm our hearts during the holidays. Volunteer achievement is vital to our nation's future. Without community action by involved citizens, we stand little chance of conquering the great challenges of drug abuse, illiteracy, homelessness, hunger, and undereducation among our "at-risk" youngsters.

The tragedy of drug abuse gets headlines, but volunteers who effectively fight drugs gain too little notice, and the public too rarely learns about programs that work and could be replicated in their communities with private incentive and support.

Eight years ago, President Reagan challenged Americans to mobilize and form partnerships to help each other. The people responded, and volunteering has reached record heights, with 45 percent of all adults - 80 million citizens - now active as volunteers. As the President has said, we have brought back "the recognition that voluntary action, private initiative, once enjoyed." Still, this major accomplishment of the Reagan administration is one of its least recognized.

In celebrating the holidays let us renew our personal commitment to volunteers by asking ourselves what we can do - through our businesses and churches, through our

schools and civic groups, and as actively involved citizens - to boost the activities of local volunteer organizations and help them find new partners so that they may expand and grow. In this way we will keep the holiday spirit alive throughout the new year.

The cynics say that our spirit will not last - that our country is doomed to create a "permanent underclass" that threatens our free society. The cynics are dead wrong. The people that thrive on the drug trade are betting that our volunteer spirit is a flash in the pan. It's a bad bet. The war on drugs will be won by men and women who care enough to pitch in - to find out how they can nourish volunteer initiatives in their communities. There are few better ways to fill our holidays with lasting and meaningful joy.

Donna M. Alvarado
Washington, D.C.

Extension Report

Correct Inaccurate Credit Files Soon

By Gracie G. Williams
Chesapeake extension agent

Is your credit file with the credit bureau a bit tarnished? If your credit history leaves something to be desired, what can you do?

If the information is inaccurate, take steps to correct it. Under the Fair Credit Reporting Act, you are entitled to have incomplete or inaccurate information corrected without charge to you.

What if the information is accurate? It may help to remember that information in a credit history file can usually be kept active for only seven years. That seven-year period runs from the date of the last regularly scheduled payment that was made before the account became delinquent unless the creditor later took action on the account such as

charging it off or obtaining a judgement for the amount due.

Exceptions to the seven-year rule also exist. Bankruptcies are reported for 10 years. Any negative-history information may be reported indefinitely in three instances:

- * If you apply for \$50,000 or more in credit.

- * If you apply for a life insurance policy with a face amount of \$50,000 or more.

- * If you apply for a job paying \$20,000 or more and the employer requests a credit report in connection with the job application.

Not all creditors look at credit history information in the same way. While you may not be able to get credit from one creditor, others may be willing to consider you for credit risk. Discuss credit standards with creditors before applying for credit.

If you still cannot get credit, try to find someone with a good credit history who would be willing to co-sign for you. By co-signing they agree to pay the debt if you do not.

Another alternative might be to get a small loan, gasoline credit card (also called a limited use credit card), or credit card with a low limit by using a savings as collateral. Pay the account promptly and be sure the creditor reports to a credit bureau so this new information will improve your credit history.

To begin developing a good credit record, pay all bills on time, especially your rent. If you rent from a large rental complex it is likely that this is reported to the credit bureau. Also be sure to pay your utilities on time. Use layaway at retailers. These things will show that you can make regular payments on time and that is very important to a creditor.

War On Fat In National Diet

By Carol B. Thorpe
Chesapeake Extension Agent

The first Surgeon General's Report on Nutrition and Health declared war on fat in the national diet, but didn't give much specific

advice to people who are waging the daily battle of the bulge.

Surgeon General C. Everett

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In the Dec. 7 edition of The Virginia Beach Sun, credit was incorrectly given to Donna Vaughan for her assistance in writing the Mayor's column. Eve Hoggard was responsible for providing the information and compiling the article.

Op-ed

Virginia Beach Has Proud Agricultural Heritage



The Mayor's Report

Virginia Beach Mayor,
The Honorable
Meyera Oberndorf

Virginia Beach has a proud agricultural heritage. Agriculture had been in Virginia Beach many years before Captain John Smith and the three ships landed at Cape Henry in April, 1607. The Indians were growing corn, squash and tobacco. Corn has continued to be a major crop for more than 300 years.

The early settlers occupied the well-drained sandy soils bordering Lynnhaven River, Pungo Ridge, and Back Bay. Several of the original farmhouses are still standing today. Settlement continued into the wetter soil as drainage ditches were dug.

Early agriculture consisted of raising corn, wheat and livestock for subsistence and tobacco as a cash crop. During the 1920's a transportation system was developed to Norfolk and other major cities to the north. This created a shift from grain to vegetable crops. Potatoes, strawberries, sweet potatoes and green vegetables were grown on relatively large acreage. Dairying was also an important industry with over 40 dairies in the city during the late 1940's. Most of the milk was consumed in Norfolk. Bayville Farms is the only dairy remaining in the city.

Nearly all the farms produced poultry. Chickens, turkeys, ducks, wild and tame geese were raised. Princess Anne County turkeys are still in great demand and produced today by a few farmers.

The production of sheep, primarily for wool, was a major industry. Hogs and beef cattle were included for local consumption for sale to markets in Norfolk.

Agriculture in Virginia Beach remains competitive due to highly productive soils, good managers, long growing seasons, usually adequate rainfall distribution and proximity to markets.

The first agricultural fair in Virginia was held in Kempsville in 1952. The descendants of the farmers who proudly displayed their products are still farming in our city today.

Agriculture today is a major industry in Virginia Beach. The economic impact of agriculture ranks third behind the military and the hospitality industry. There are about 38,000 acres of cropland in the city. Major crops are soybeans, corn, and wheat. The long growing season permits soybeans to be grown as a second crop, following the harvest of winter wheat. Most of the grain is exported through the ports in Norfolk, however, some grain is marketed by feeding it to hogs.

There are about 2,500 acres of high value crops such as: white potatoes, strawberries, sweet potatoes, sweet corn, blueberries, and ornamentals. Many of the vegetables are marketed by pick-your-own, roadside stands, and the Virginia Beach Farmer's Market.

The city has been the leading producer of swine in the state for many years. It produces about 75,000 animals annually.

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City's School Board Selection Process Improving



The VBEA Report

By Claire Polley,
President of the VA Beach
Education Association

The date for the public hearing and candidate interviews was published in the paper. Current school board members and citizens who had submitted their name to be considered as school board members were notified of the hearing. Councilman John Moss sent out questionnaires to prospective appointees. Members of council in attendance at the hearing were: Mayor Meyera Oberndorf, Harold Heischberger, Barbara Henley, John Moss, Nancy Parker, John Perry, and Will Sessions.

Twenty-one candidates, including three school board members, appeared before council, spoke briefly to the council members present, and answered questions posed by various council members. The answers of the candidates were very interesting and gave the citizens of the city valuable insight into the candidates' views of public education.

All of the candidates deserve recognition for their willingness to serve our community in the most important public board in the city. Mayor Oberndorf was correct when she stated repeatedly that the city was very fortunate to have so many extremely qualified candidates.

The two new school board members were among those that were interviewed. Hopefully, The Virginia Beach Sun and others will do major features on these new school board members so everyone in the community has the chance to know Mr. Samuel Meekins Jr. and Mr. Greg Stullman. Both interviewed very well as did most of the candidates.

After several interviews had been conducted with incumbent school board members, it became clear to the Mayor that the process was taking much longer than anticipated. She ultimately asked the potential school

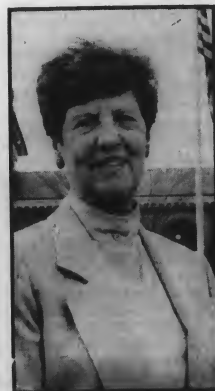
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board members to step into council chambers and asked them if they wanted to continue the interviews that day or to reschedule interviews with the most promising candidates. Most replied that they would wait their turn.

I need to give the council members who were able to stay their due. They conducted proper interviews and gave all candidates an opportunity to express their concerns. I suspect that scheduled interviews for each candidate will probably be tried in the future. I also hope that council members will consider televising the hearings on Channel 29 in the future.

But with all its flaws, this year's public hearing was an improvement over past hearings and more nearly matched the spirit of the law, which was to let the public know which citizens were being considered for appointment. Unfortunately, the only "public" that attended the hearings were two citizens who spoke on behalf of candidates, the education reporter for the daily paper, and VBEA representatives.

Christmas - A Holy Day And A Holiday



By Lillian Youell,
Virginia Beach Constitution
Celebration Commission
Consultant

Christmas is a melange of religious rites and secular observances. Its celebration includes a galaxy of customs, traditions, nostalgia and homecomings. For some, it is a holy day and a time for reverence. For others, it is simply another holiday and a time for revelry. Regardless of one's personal perception, Christmas generates a feeling of love and brotherhood throughout the world.

Although for most, Christmas is an occasion of anticipation and joy, for some it is a season of sadness and stress. Many complain of commercialization and believe the celebration has become obscured by a "sellabration." George Bernard Shaw once remarked, "Christmas is forced on a reluctant nation by shopkeepers and the press!"

The etymology of the word "Christmas" describes its original purpose. To Christians, it commemorates the Nativity of Jesus Christ and is an important religious event. For Roman Catholics, Dec. 25 is a holy day of obligation on which all are called to "Christ's Mass" - from which the name derives.

The fixation of that particular date is unsupported by evidence. During the fourth century, a Roman Catholic Pope designated Dec. 25 for the observance of the birth of the Jewish baby, Jesus. The Eastern Orthodox Church had long celebrated the Nativity on Jan. 6 and still does. However, the Bible makes no mention of the date of the birth, and scholars speculate that, from Luke's account of shepherds in the fields, the time of birth was more likely in the summer.

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While the date may appear to be arbitrary, it was not selected without purpose. The notion was to convert a pagan holiday into a Christian one, rather than suppress a popular local celebration. The Church settled on Dec. 25 to coincide with the Roman midwinter festival of the Kalends, which was preceded by the week-long Saturnalia, and by followers of Mithra of the Birthday of the Sun.

These ancient feasts were times of jubilation and merry-making following the winter solstice. It is something of a paradox that the Church was able to establish the date for Christmas, but never able to encourage the people to give up all of their pagan customs, many of which exist to the present though their original symbolism has long been forgotten.

Christmas had a rocky start in the new world. It was first celebrated here in 1492. On that Christmas Day, the ship "Santa Maria" was wrecked on a reef off the coast of Haiti. Timbers from the ship were used to build a fortress, appropriately named La Navidad (the Nativity) by Christopher Columbus.

Opposition to Christmas was strong during the Reformation in England. Please see Lili Youell, page 12

Special Report

Don't Travel When Severe Winter Weather Strikes

By Virginia Department
Of Emergency Services

When winter storms strike Virginia, traveling can become treacherous. Because of the state's snowfall patterns and snow consistency, highway conditions are often more hazardous than in the snow-belt regions to our north.

Many of the Virginia's snowstorms begin as freezing rain or sleet. Snow often follows, leaving a hidden layer of ice underneath. These dangerous conditions are compounded by the consistency of snow that usually falls. Unlike the dry, powdery snow that occurs in colder regions, Virginia's is often wet and extremely slippery.

With these factors in mind, it is best to stay home when severe winter weather strikes. However, business or holiday plans often make winter travel necessary. If venturing out, the following tips may make the journey safer.

Before the cold weather hits, be

sure the car is in good running order and is properly serviced. Have a reliable mechanic check the battery, antifreeze, wipers and windshield washer, ignition, and thermostat. Good tires are important.

Plan long trips carefully. Listen to weather reports and traveler's advisories and keep an alternate route in mind. Travel in daylight, use major highways, if possible, and try not to travel alone.

Before starting, clean snow and ice off all parts of the car - windows, hood, roof, trunk, and lights. Snow left on the car could affect visibility.

Keep the gas tank as full as possible. A full tank prevents gas line freeze up, and also adds weight for better traction.

Even if winter driving is restricted to short, local trips, certain supplies can help in an emergency. Always keep basic items like a windshield scraper, battery booster cables, a tow chain or rope, a bag of sand, a blanket, and a flashlight in the car.

For longer trips, add a transistor radio (with extra batteries), a first aid kit, road maps, some nonperishable food, matches and candles.

Don't overdrive when driving. Even on short trips, clothing should be loose-fitting and comfortable. After the car has warmed up, take off heavy outer clothing, but pull over to the side

of the road to do it. Don't try to struggle out of a coat while driving.

If caught on the road during a winter storm, keep calm. Give some indication that there is trouble - turn on flashing lights, raise the hood, or tie a cloth from an antenna or door handle.

Stay in the car. Don't leave the car to find shelter or a telephone unless there is one close by (really close - yards away). Disorientation

comes very quickly in a blowing snowstorm.

For heat, turn on the car engine for brief periods. To avoid deadly carbon monoxide poisoning, always leave a downwind window open slightly and make sure the exhaust pipe is clear of snow when the engine is running.

If caught unprepared, there are many items in the car that can be

used. Papers and maps can be crinkled up and stuffed into clothing for added warmth. Rugs and removable seat covers can be used for added insulation. Huddle with passengers and try using coats as blankets. They may be more effective that way.

Leave the dome light on at night as a signal to rescuers. If there is more than one person in the car, sleep in shifts.

Food And Heat Needed For Winter Storms

By Virginia Department
Of Emergency Services

Snow flurries can suddenly turn into a vicious winter storm. Being isolated in the home can be a very real possibility. By making certain preparations now, hardships can be eased. Here are some tips for severe winter weather. Two necessities are food and heat. Stock an emergency supply of natural, quick-energy foods that allow the body to pro-

duce its own heat efficiently like peanut butter, raisins, and other dried fruits. The amount would depend on the size of the family, but there should be enough food for several days to a week.

Even if there is a grocery store nearby, their supplies may dwindle if roads are closed to supply trucks. Include foods that require no cooking unless there is a camp stove or other portable cooking unit available.

Make sure there is adequate ventilation when using a portable cooking unit. Never burn charcoal inside. No amount of ventilation can diffuse the deadly carbon monoxide given off by burning charcoal. If using a grill, cook outside. It's safer than trying to rig ventilation inside that may not be adequate.

Try to keep an adequate supply of fuel in the home. Regular supplies may be limited by storm condi-

tions, so use it sparingly. Conserve fuel by keeping the house cooler and by closing off little-used rooms.

Severe winter weather does not necessarily involve a storm. Extremely low temperatures can cause problems, too.

In an emergency, an alternative heating source would keep at least one room warm enough to live in. This could be a coal, wood, or oil-burning stove, fireplace, or space heater.

Community News

Unusual Turtle On Display At Marine Science Museum

A spiny soft-shelled turtle, an unusual species of turtle, is a new inhabitant of the Virginia Marine Science Museum's Coastal River Room.

The pale green turtle has a soft leathery shell instead of the hard horny shield that most turtles have, yet it can still retract its head and legs within its soft shell for protection. "Spiny" comes from the tiny projections, or spines, on top of the front edge of the shell.

Soft-shelled turtles are the only North American turtles with a snorkel-like snout. The long nose enables them to breathe while buried in the mud in shallow water.

While many freshwater turtles leave the water to bask in the sun, the spiny soft-shelled prefers pri-

marily an aquatic environment. Although it does not have flippers for feet, it has extra webbing between its claws which helps to make it a strong swimmer.

The spiny soft-shelled is indigenous to the southwestern part of Virginia although it has been sighted in freshwater lakes in southeastern Tidewater, probably having been released from captivity. At the museum, the turtle swims freely with other Virginia turtles and fish in the Coastal River Room's freshwater tank.

Animals are fed at 11 a.m. daily in the Coastal River Room. The museum is open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily. For more information, contact the museum at 425-3476.

Chapman PRSA President

Rob Chapman, APR, assistant manager of corporate communications for Norfolk Southern Corp. was elected president of the Hamp-

ton Roads chapter of the Public Relations Society of America (PRSA) during the group's December meeting.

Crime Solvers Investigates Burglaries

Virginia Beach police are investigating two burglaries of homes that occurred in the north end of the beach front and were committed by a woman. They have a computer sketch of the woman they are looking for and crime solvers is offering a cash reward of up to \$1,000 for help in identifying her.

The first burglary occurred on Wednesday, May 18, in the 200 block of 73rd Street, the second on Thursday, Oct. 27, in the 700 block of Crystal Lane. The burglaries occurred in the middle of the day and a woman fitting the following description was seen at both burglar-

ies.

She is white, appeared to be in her early 30's, approximately 5 feet 5 inches tall, with a heavy build, a protruding stomach, and black kinky hair, almost to her shoulders.

Stolen from the homes was silver valued at over \$21,000 which included silverware, plates, bowls, cups, serving platters and pitchers.

Information about the stolen silver or if you recognize this woman, call Crime Solvers anonymously at 427-0000. Those with information leading to an arrest or the recovery of the property, will receive a cash reward.

Earth Day 1990 Plans Announced

Leaders of the nation's largest environmental organizations have united to launch a cooperative effort with college students, business, labor, farmers, urban groups, and

others to organize an international Earth Day in April, 1990.

Organizers plan to involve more than 100 million participants in countries around the world.

Wildlife Refuge EA Available To Public

A Draft Environmental Assessment (EA) proposing to expand the Back Bay National Wildlife Refuge by 6,400 acres will be available for a public review and comment period, Northeast Regional Director Ronald Lambertson announced recently.

Due to the upcoming holiday season and public interest in the EA process, a longer-than-normal (45 day) public review and comment period has been established. The

comment period runs through Jan. 20, 1989. In addition, interest on the part of local groups and individuals resulted in requests by city officials and the office of Congressman Owen Pickett for a public meeting.

A formal public meeting has been scheduled for Tuesday, Jan. 10, 1989, at 7 p.m. at the Virginia Beach Central Library Auditorium at 4100 Virginia Beach Boulevard.

Reflections III Construction Starts

Olympia Development Corporation recently announced the ground breaking of Reflections III, the third building at Reflections - The Corporate Park at Lynnhaven, bringing the total square footage of the park to over 210,000. The four story, 67,000 square foot building is the joint venture project of Olympia, Bozzuto & Associates of Greenbelt, Md. and Essex Capital Group, Inc. of Virginia Beach. The completion date is scheduled for September 1989.

In keeping with the architectural design standards set forth in Reflections I and II, Reflections III shall be constructed of red brick with



green reflective glass and will include amenities such as granite floors, a five story skylit atrium, glass backed elevators and underground parking. Suites will be on a built-to-suit basis beginning at 500 square feet.

War On Fat

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Koop's report calls on Americans to drastically reduce the amount of fat in their diets, citing its link to heart disease, stroke, cancer, and diabetes.

The report supported recommendations already contained in the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Dietary Guidelines and those given by the American Heart Association and the American Cancer Society.

The major health organizations now advise Americans to reduce their fat consumption from about 37 percent of their total calories to 30 percent of their total calories.

The problem for most people is not knowing that they should cut back on fat, but actually doing it.

Try cutting down or eliminating fried foods from the diet. This will significantly reduce intake of vegetable fats, but not remove them completely.

Vegetable fats are also found in commercial baked goods, boxed and frozen prepared foods, salad dressings, chips, and snacks. Some vegetable fats, like coconut and palm kernel oil, are also highly saturated fats.

The easiest way to reduce intake of animal fats is to always select lean meat, trim the visible fat from meat, remove the fat and skin from poultry and eat only low-fat dairy products.



Janice Hanbury

Just A Chat

Name: Janice Hanbury.
Occupation: Vice President of Administration/Office Services for R.G. Moore Building Corp.
Neighborhood: Kempsville Manor.
Age: 46.
Marital status: Single.
Biggest accomplishment in your life: Being the parent of a really fine young woman.
Biggest mistake in your life: Not taking more advantage of my God-given talents.
What do you really like about your job: The people I work for and with.
What do you consider the meaning of success: Satisfaction in knowing I've been the best I could be.
If you received a million dollars tomorrow, what would you do with it: Put it in a savings account.
What's your idea of a fun evening: Going out with my friends.
What's your idea of a fun weekend: Weekend in Nags Head.
What is your best personality trait: My sense of humor.
What is your worst personality trait: Lack of patience.
What is your dream vacation: Taking parents to Japan.
What is your favorite time of the year and why: Fall - I love the colors.
What is your favorite day of the week and why: Friday - I meet friends for dinner.
What's your favorite pet: A bird.
Your dream car: A Mercedes.
Your favorite sport: Tennis.
Your favorite sports team: Chris Everett.
What is your pet peeve: The person behind me blowing their horn as the light turns green.
What do you like to do to relax after a hard day's work: Make a fire in fireplace and curl up with a good novel.
What is your favorite TV program: "Designing Women."
Your favorite movie: "Dirty Dancing."
Your favorite entertainer: Kathryn Hepburn.
What is your favorite food and drink: Lemon chicken and Diet Coke.
What is your favorite restaurant: Steinhilbers.
What do you think is one of the biggest problems facing the world: Starvation.
What do you think is one of the biggest problems facing Virginia Beach: Road systems.
What do you like most about Virginia Beach: The school system and the parks and recreation we have available to us.

Magula President Of TBA

Stephen J. Magula, Jr., has been elected 33rd President of Tidewater Builders Association, succeeding Paul J. Farrell. Magula's term will run until November 1989.

Magula is president of Creative Homes Ltd., a company he formed in 1981. He was formerly a vice president with Larasan Realty/Better Homes and Gardens.

He holds his master's degree in business administration from Old Dominion University and an undergraduate degree from Boston College.

Ford Motor Co. Celebrates

Five employees of Ford Motor Company's Norfolk Assembly Plant will celebrate milestone anniversaries with the company during December.

Greenville Batliner, Jr. from the trim department will be honored for his 35 years of service with the company. The other four employees will celebrate 25 years of service. Each of those honored will receive a personalized gift from Plant Manager C.J. Crawford and a letter of appreciation from Donald E. Petersen, company chairman.

DMV Announces Holiday Closings

Most Department of Motor Vehicles offices will be open from 8:30 a.m. until noon on Friday, Dec. 23 and Friday, Dec. 30.

Offices that normally have Saturday hours will be open for their usual business days on Friday, Dec. 23 and Friday, Dec. 30 and will be closed on Saturday, Dec. 24 and Saturday, Dec. 31. All branch offices will also be closed on Monday, Dec. 26 and Jan. 2 in observance of Christmas and New Year's holidays.

DMV reminds motorists that the best times to renew driver's licenses and license plate decals are the middle of the month on Tuesday and Wednesday mornings and Thursdays from 2-3:30 p.m.

Goldman & Associates Selected By ASAP American Ship-A-Package

Goldman & Associates, a full service advertising and public relations firm, announced that the firm has been selected to handle advertising and public relations for ASAP American Ship-A-Package.

ASAP American Ship-A-Package is a professional delivery service headquartered in Virginia Beach.

An extensive multi-media campaign has been scheduled by the agency through the year in support of the company.

Goldman & Associates currently service clients throughout the Mid Atlantic Region.

Agent Orange Receives Extension

The Virginia Department of Veteran Affairs announces an extension to registration of Vietnam Era Veterans and any other person that may have been exposed to Agent Orange, is now set at ending March 31, 1989.

Edelheit Named Practitioner Of Year

Sheila Edelheit, director of Public Affairs at the Medical College of Hampton Roads (MCHR), was named outstanding Public Relations Practitioner of the Year for 1988 by the Hampton Roads chapter of the Public Relations society of America (PRSA).

Airport Has Passenger Decrease Virginia Museum Names Near

Norfolk International Airport reported a 4.8 percent decrease in passenger activity for the month of November with a total of 245,690 passengers. This compares with 257,966 passengers in November, 1987. For the year to date, 2,946,493 passengers have arrived and departed Norfolk International Airport, a 3.8 percent decrease over last year's equivalent period whose corresponding figure was 3,061,686.

In other activity, 5,815,576 pounds of air cargo was shipped in and out of the airport during October, 1988. This represents a 2.7 percent increase over October, 1987 whose equivalent activity was 4,587,034.

Airlines presently serving Norfolk International Airport are: American, Delta, Eastern, Henson, Northwest, PanAm Express, Piedmont, TWA, United, and USAir.

Parents Without Partners Meet

Parents Without Partners, Chapter 216, is hosting a dance at Little Creek Amphibious Base Officers Club - Snug Harbor on Saturday, Dec. 31 at 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Dance to the music of Act-N-Up. Proceeds help finance family and

children's programs. Admission is \$10 per person which includes the dance, party favors, champagne, and continental breakfast. Call 495-1223 for reservations and more information.

Council Turns Down Indoor Shooting Range

By Lee Cahill
City Council Reporter

Council listened to arguments for more than an hour on the pros and cons of locating an indoor shooting range in the Corner Oaks Shopping Center before turning down the application by a 9-2 vote. Councilman Albert W. Balko and William D. Sessoms dissented.

U.S. Habitats had applied for a use permit for a recreational facility (a shooting range) at the shopping center on the north side of Holland Road west of Windsor Oaks Boulevard.

Habitats, owner of the shopping center, had a contract with Discount Gun Exchange to lease property at the center contingent on the conditional use permit.

The facility would have included a gun shop selling firearms and training in gun use and safety and space would be leased to agencies, such as police departments and military personnel for gun-shooting practice.

A number of speakers, gun experts, instructors, former police officers, members of the National Rifle Association - all supported the application.

David Silverman, a resident of Thomas Jefferson Drive and a retired police officer, asked council to deny the application. "I hope you don't put it in my backyard," he said.

Councilman John D. Moss, who made the motion to deny the application, said that the issue was not firearms safety, nor whether the supporters were experts, but that it was a brand new use for a shopping center. Although the Planning Commission recommended ap-

proval of the application by a 6-3 vote, the planning staff recommended denial saying that the use was compatible with the location. The center is a neighborhood shopping center surrounded by mostly residential.

Curt Levy, attorney representing the applicant and Andre Fin, architect for the project, explained that the building would be a building within building and completely sound proof.

Council was concerned, however, that lacking any ordinance on noise control, the city would have no way to enforce noise standards. Moss said that the city had other areas that were more appropriate for the use.

Councilwoman Barbara Henley said that she had a bad experience with the police firing range in Creeds. She said council had been given assurances then that no noise would leak outside. "That's one thing I've done," she said, that "I have regretted very much."

Henley was also concerned about the number of uses the building would have and the 30-space parking variance the applicant secured from the Board of Zoning Appeals.

She also seemed surprised to hear that city police officers and the sheriff's department would lease space at the range when the city has a shooting range.

In answer to a question from Councilman Harold Heischobler, Levy said he did not know how many gun permits were issued in Virginia Beach, but that the number has gone up 30 percent since the law change removing the burden from proof from the defendant to the court in cases where an individual is carrying a concealed weapon.

Brock Moves Into New House After Fire

By Lee Cahill
City Council Reporter

Mamie Brock may get to move into her new home at 2319 Princess Anne Road after all.

Brock is the woman whose home was destroyed by fire on May 6. She built a new house, planning to hook it onto the septic tank system she had been using for her old house. But somehow during the fire or during the construction of the

new home, the septic system was destroyed. Although she would have been permitted, under the grandfather clause, to use her old septic tank, the Health Department would not issue a permit for a new system because of the soil conditions for her property. The Health Department is willing to issue Mrs. Brock a conditional repair construction permit to build a shallow placed, low pressure distribution system (LPD system), but Brock can't afford to build the system.

Community News

CLASP Holds Dance/Meeting

CLASP announces the following events:

A dance for physically and mentally handicapped people will be held Saturday, Jan. 21, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. at the Bow Creek Recreation Center, 3427 Clubhouse Road. The dance will be sponsored by Perceptor XI Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, the Virginia Department of Parks and Recreation and CLASP (Citizens Loving All Special People).

Participation is free. Refreshments will be served and door prizes will be given. The latest hits will be played. Parents and guardians are welcome, however, chaperones are

present at all times.

Transportation is available through TRT from your area at \$5 per roundtrip per individual. Call Carolyn Wismer at 853-8789 after 7 p.m. weekdays or anytime weekends.

Also, CLASP (Citizens Loving All Special people) will hold its monthly business meeting Monday, Jan. 16, at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Harry & Juanita Baird, 3900 Rumford Lane.

All voting members are highly encouraged to attend. All other interested persons are also invited to attend.

For further information call Harry Baird on 486-3110.

Deal, Ammons And Noona Perform At The Pavilion

Bill Deal and Fat Ammons will join forces with Walter Noona and the Virginia Beach Pops Sunday, Jan. 8 at 2:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. at the Pavilion Theater for the first "Pops" concert of the new year.

This concert, which is being sponsored by the Dragas Companies, will open with Wagner's "Ride of the Valkyries," the "Estudaina Waltz" by Waldteufel, Elgar's "Pomp and Circumstance" and Manuel De Falla's "Dance From The Three Corners Hat."

After an introduction via the orchestra's performance of

"Charleston Rag," Bill Deal and Fat Ammons will take center stage with their stylish arrangements of "Partytime Man," "Cool Me Out," "Time of My Life" from "DirtyDancin'" and a medley of "Old Love Songs."

"Chitty Chitty Bang Bang" and "A Little Brown Jug" will bring this orchestral concert to a bubbling conclusion.

Ticket prices range from \$6 for children under 12 to \$15. Tickets

may be purchased from the Pavilion Box Office at 428-8000.

Widowed Persons Service Meets

Widowed Persons Service, an AARP sponsored program to assist newly bereaved persons cope with their period of grief will meet Tuesday, Jan. 3 at 7 p.m. at the Norfolk Diagnostic Clinic, 850 Kempsville Rd. next door to Sentara Leigh Hospital (use urgent care entrance).

Lynn Rose, associated with Tidewater Psychiatric Institute will be the guest speaker. This is a free service and is open to all bereaved

persons. For more information on this weekly support group call 420-1788.

Widowed persons service also provides a one-to-one outreach program which puts the newly bereaved person in touch with a trained volunteer who will assist the bereaved spouse during their difficult period of adjustment. This is also a free service and can be obtained by calling the WPS hotline at 461-9457.

Marine Science Museum Offers Holiday Programs

The Virginia Marine Science Museum is offering a 10 percent discount on admission and a series of special programs during the week between Christmas and New Year's.

Program topics are "Snakes" on Monday, Dec. 26; "Fishing for Bluefish" on Tuesday, Dec. 27; "Fish Printing" on Wednesday, Dec. 28; "Scuba" on Thursday, Dec. 29; "Watching Waterfowl" on Friday, Dec. 30; and "Fish Printing" on Saturday, Dec. 31.

The programs, which are free

with admission to the museum, take place at 12:30 p.m.

The special programs are in addition to the museum's regularly scheduled daily programs which include "Fishes of the Chesapeake Bay" at 2:45 p.m. followed by fish feeding at 3 p.m. and guided tours of the museum at 2 p.m. weekdays and 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. on weekends.

The museum will be closed Christmas and New Year's Day.

Kempsville And V.B. Junior Highs Win One-Act Play Competition

Kempsville and Virginia Beach were the winners in the school division's one-act play competition held recently at Salem Junior High.

"Two Small Fries To Go," directed by teacher Martha Springstead and drama student Theresa Tuttle, earned Kempsville Junior High a superior rating and first place in the southern division of the competition.

Virginia Beach Junior High drama students earned a superior rating and first place in the northern division with their presentation of "Three On A Bench," directed by Renee Guadino and student assistant Brian Alexander.

In the southern division, Princess Anne Junior High also earned a superior rating with its performance of "In the Shadows."

Earning excellent ratings were Brandon, Salem, and Plaza Junior Highs. Brandon presented "Something in My Dreams," directed by Nancy Dodd; Salem presented "That Day," directed by Susan Kary; and Plaza presented "The Haunting of Hathaway House," directed by Marilyn McAdams and Mary Beth Weaver.

In addition, Lynnhaven Junior High rated superior in the northern division with its presentation of "Louder, I Can't Hear You," directed by Angie Evans.

Bayside, Independence, and Great Neck Junior Highs merited an excellent rating from the judges. To earn their high marks, Bayside presented "Act Three, Scene Five," directed by Deborah Basgier; Independence presented "Shirley," directed by Leslie Rutford; and Great Neck presented "The Quiet Place," directed by Linda Miller-Dunleavy and Elaine Bonney.

Kempsville Junior High drama students participating in the play were Jenny Belote, Aimee Koller, Brad Watts, Todd Payne, Shannon Woods, Sonya Tschuigine, Chris Barnes, Sherry Weinstein, Anna Hales, and Beth Dorband.

The Virginia Beach Junior High students were April Bennett, Jeremy Roush, Amy Waterfield and Mario Nichols.

NPALSA Holds Meeting

The Norfolk-Portsmouth Area Legal Secretaries Association will hold its regular monthly meeting on Thursday, Jan. 5, at the Sheraton, Military Circle, in Norfolk at 6 p.m. Marjorie L. Harmon, PLS VALS' Parliamentarian will be the speaker for the evening.

The cost of the dinner will be \$12.70 with a choice of sliced roast top sirloin au jus or broiled trout almondine. Call Kim Hardin at 461-2554 by 4 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 30, to make reservations.

For further information regarding the Association, contact Patsy Saul at 491-4010.



Virginia Beach Mayor Meyera E. Oberndorf (right) presents a proclamation to Claire Polley, president of the Virginia Beach Education Association (center), and Claudette Thomure pronouncing November 13 - 19 as American Education Week.

Mayor Oberdorf Announces American Education Week

This proclamation highlights the role of public schools in community development and urges all citizens to affirm their support for education as an investment in the future.

AARP Holds Installation Banquet

The annual Christmas banquet and installation of Kempsville AARP chapter #4212 officer's ceremony was held recently at the Holiday Inn, Executive Center. Officers that were installed for the 1989 year are: president, W.G. "Lanny" Lancaster; first vice president, Berwyn B. Gehgan; second vice president, M. Hope Young; secretary, Marie V. Havens; treasurer, John W. Balchunis; directors, Russell Duke, Gordon M. Morton, Lloyd E. Emanuel, Cornelia Carter and Tom Grubbs.

Nomination committee members are Margaret D. Morton, Irene Shiflet, Wallace Pittard, Myrtle Pittard and Rachael Taylor.

Donations to several agencies that assist the homeless have been made by the chapter as well as food donations to the Samaritan House. A donation was also made in memory of George A. Wilson, recently deceased assistant state director for the American Association of Retired Persons.

The next meeting of the chapter will be held at the Kempsville Recreation Center at 10 a.m. on Jan. 11 with Ron Handy from the Virginia Department of Aging as the guest speaker.

Hill Completes Drill Course

Staff Sgt. Keith A. Hill, son of Esther M. and Leroy T. Wright of 635 Biltmore Drive, has completed an eight-week drill sergeant course at Fort Benning, Ga.

During the course, students received training in leadership principles, stress management, conduction physical training, counseling sessions and other subject area.

The training is conducted in classrooms, on outdoor ranges and in other field environments to train the students as effective leaders in the initial training environment.

Brizendine Promoted

Anita D. Brizendine, daughter of Dorothy M. Sawyer of 100 Beach Town Drive, and Harvey Rasberry St. of 1048 Levelgreen Blvd., has been promoted in the U.S. Air Force to the rank of technical sergeant.

Brizendine is a communications-computer systems operations supervisor with the 47th Communications Group, Cheyenne Mountain Air Force Station, Colo.

Her husband, Air Force Staff Sgt. Anthony G. Brizendine, is the son of Rachel A. Brizendine of 4318 Bedford Ave., Omaha, Neb.

Brickell Receives Medal From DAR

Princess Anne County chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, presented the DAR Medal of Honor to Dr. E.E. Brickell at their November meeting.

This medal is presented to a native born American who has made significant contributions to the community in the field of patriotic education. During Dr. Brickell's term as superintendent of the Virginia Beach Schools, he assisted the DAR work with education and history. The social studies department coordinated the efforts to secure outstanding teachers of history to be submitted for state wide honors and outstanding eleventh grade history students form every high school in the city were honored in

February, "American History Month," for their expertise in history.

The essay contests for fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grade students were distributed to all schools in the city through the school system's mail delivery, and junior American citizens contests were offered to all students in the city.

In recognition for his outstanding assistance to DAR, the chapter was proud to honor him. Mrs. Charles R. Haugh, state regent of the Virginia Daughters of the American Revolution was guest speaker at the luncheon attended by members of the chapter, guests and Mayor Meyera Oberndorf.

Friends School Holds Holiday Gathering

Virginia Beach Friends School invites all former students of high school and college age to an informal holiday gathering, downstairs in the meeting house, Wednesday, Dec. 28 at 8 p.m.

A \$5 charge at the door will cover pizza and soft drinks. There

are no advance reservations.

Founded by Quakers in 1955, Friends School serves children of all faiths, from age 2 1/2 thru middle school.

For more information call Margaret Jeffries at 428-7534 or 340-5250.

Salvation Army Needs Volunteers

The Salvation Army is in need of volunteers to assist in their annual Christmas Cheer program. Volunteers are needed immediately until Tuesday, Dec. 20 from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. to assemble toys and pack food.

From Wednesday, Dec. 21 to Friday, Dec. 23, from 7:30 a.m. to 10 p.m., volunteers are needed to

take people through the distribution center at 3616 Virginia Beach Boulevard in Norfolk.

The Salvation Army's goal is to see that thousands of needy families in Norfolk, Virginia Beach and Chesapeake are remembered at Christmas. For more information call Mrs. Major Delaney at 461-7646.

Hospice Care Entertains At Club

Hospice Care presents an evening of dancing, entertainment, and video tapes on a giant screen Saturday, Jan. 7 from 8 p.m. to 7 a.m. at the Beach Quarters Club, Beach Quarters Hotel, 5th Street and Atlantic Avenue.

The club will feature an open bar and free parking. A \$10 donation will be accepted.

Kings Dominion Holds Auditions

The King's Dominion Entertainment Department will hold audition for new live shows on Wednesday, Jan. 25 at the Pavilion Convention Center.

One hundred and fifty positions for performers, instrumentalists, and technicians are open at King's Dominion this year. Auditions for singers will be from 3 to 5 p.m.;

The Park will feature a new Broadway-style musical, "Those Magnificent Movies," plus 11 other new live shows when it opens in March.

dancers: audition from 6 to 7 p.m.; instrumentalists, specialty acts and technicians audition from 3 to 7 p.m.

She is a 1976 graduate of Woodrow Wilson High School, Portsmouth, Va.

Best Graduates

Airman Wesley A. Best, son of Becky P. Waff of 220 Vermillion Lane, has graduated from the U.S. Air Force inventory management course at Lowry Air Force Base, Colo.

During the course, students were taught property accounting, customer support, stock control and equipment management for a base supply system. They also were taught to inventory supplies using electronic data processing machines. The graduates earned credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

He is a 1988 graduate of Bayside High School.

P.A. DAR Held Meeting

The December meeting of the Princess Anne County chapter DAR was held at the home of Mrs. W.F. Salkowski. This was the thirty-sixth birthday of the chapter.

Mrs. Rice M. Youell was guest speaker on national defense. She talked about the problems of immigration and naturalization and presented an oath of citizenship which has been proposed for all citizens to pledge. She spoke of the importance of new citizens becoming assimilated into the culture of the United States.

After a brief business meeting, Christmas presents were exchanged and the chapter's birthday celebrated.

Marine Science Museum Holds Kid's Program

A program for three-and-four-year-old children will take place at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 27, at the Virginia Marine Science Museum.

Children, who must be accompanied by an adult, will be introduced to Virginia's marine environment with puppets, stories and a guided tour of the museum's live exhibits.

The fee is \$2.25 for children and \$2.75 for adults. No reservations are necessary.

Vorhees Graduates

Second Lt. Van J. Voorhees Jr., son of Van and Carol Voorhees of 617 Cedar Lane, has graduated from the aviation officer basic course at Fort Rucker, Ala.

He is a 1982 graduate of Princess Anne High School, and a 1988 graduate of Elon College, Burlington, N.C.

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Community News



The all-youth cast of "A Christmas Carol."

Kempsville Playhouse Presents "A Christmas Carol"

The Kempsville Playhouse youth production of "A Christmas Carol" provided excellent family entertainment and fostered the holiday spirit throughout the audience. The all youth cast was directed by Ann Hicks, assistant programming supervisor for the Performing Arts Unit of the Virginia Beach Department of Parks and Recreation.



Princess Anne Elementary students participate in the city's new newspaper recycling program.

P.A. Elementary Students Participate In Newspaper Recycling Program

At no cost to the city, a contractor provided bins at every public school in Virginia Beach. The contractor pays each school \$3 per ton of newspapers recycled. The city saves the cost of disposing old papers, the schools earn money for student programs, and natural resources are conserved through recycling.

Rockefeller Completes Support Course

Pvt. William A. Rockefeller III, son of Denise L. Rockefeller of 4620 Fern Oak Court, has completed the field artillery fire support course at Fort Sill, Okla.

During the course, students were

taught to perform as forward observers and to establish field communications for a battery or battalion.

He is a 1988 graduate of Kempsville High School.

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Brown

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opposite Maureen McCormick in "an industrial Army film about having choices in life."

Brown did guest shots on television shows such as "Emergency" and then he was cast in "Bah Bah Blacksheep," where he appeared 13 times in two years. He also played a boy with leukemia on "The Waltons" for one year.

"I love the challenge of taking on a character and entertaining people with that. It surprises me what comes forth," Brown said.

In 1980, Brown starred in Tennessee Williams' Broadway play "Viude Carré," where he played a "street smart sexy southern stud." He then took a break from acting and was introduced to the music business.

After touring with good friend Barry Manilow, Brown and a friend decided to start a business of on site concert sales. Manilow put up the money and the business took off. Brown and his partner signed up musicians such as Rod Stewart, John Cougar Mellankamp and Diana Ross.

"Any client we went after, we got," Brown said.

After 3 1/2 years in the fast paced music business, Brown decided to return to acting. He entered the Director's Guild of America, a training program started by Steven Spielberg.

Brown, who also worked as a talent scout for Faces International, said he plans to return to Los Angeles and pursue his acting career. The Virginia Beach native is on his way to fame and fortune, but he said, "If you get it too quick too soon, you tend not to value it and you get lost."

Beasley

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any more, so he went pro. Beasley has had to knock on quite a few doors to get to where he is now. He said the market in this area is very competitive.

Beasley invented the "Old Mr. Beasley" character in 1985. During his shows, Beasley tells "zany, wild stories" about the problems of old age, modern life, family and old characters he once knew. He wants to portray a wholesome image, using no profanity.

"Mr. B. is a red, white and blue kind of character. The crowd loves him," Beasley said.

Beasley, who has had no formal acting training, said he would like his character to be the next Ernest P. Worrell, because he thinks he could sell just about anything.

Aside from his comedy acting, Beasley has also been involved in copywriting for commercials and drawing humor related cartoons. He occasionally works as an architectural designer; he did much of the ceiling work in Lynnhaven Mall.

"Natural talent can't be given or taught, it must be developed," Beasley said.

Beasley, whose favorite comedian is the late John Belushi, said "Johnny Carson is the king of impressions and impersonations." He said he feels his success will continue because he's "never at a loss for coming up with something off the wall."

Beasley, who lives in the Great Neck area, is available for nightclubs and private parties. He plans to make "Old Mr. Beasley" his main focus and hopes to move on to bigger and better things.

"1989 may be a good year and it may be a bad year," Beasley said.

Gilbert Deployed To Japan

First Lt. Kevin L. Gilbert deployed to Honshu, Japan to participate in "Orient Shield," a bilateral training exercise with the Japanese Ground Self-Defense Force.

Soldiers participated in small unit training, weapons firing, and a tactical exercise with the Japanese soldiers.

He is platoon leader with the 27th Infantry at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii.

Gilbert is the son of Raymond L. and Beverly J. Gilbert of 3234 Saxon Place.

The lieutenant is a 1979 graduate of Floyd E. Kellam High School, and a 1986 graduate of Old Dominion University, Norfolk.

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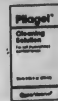
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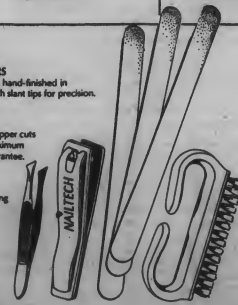
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Chesapeake and Portsmouth Community News

Larson Relives The Pain And Terror Of Snagging Blow

By Laura Salazar Planeta
Staff Writer

Her integrity was questioned, a contract was put out on her life, and her co-workers and roommate thought she was a "crooked cop." However, she put her life on the line amidst rumors that she was having sex with a convicted cocaine dealer.

Portsmouth Police Officer Patricia Larson tells her story and relives the events that led to the arrest and conviction of Antonio Charles Blow.

"I never lost sight that I was a cop throughout the whole thing," said 31-year-old Larson about her dealings with Blow. "Blow's attorney asked me during the trial, 'Are you contending that you and my client never slept together and never had a romantic relationship?'" Larson said that she answered, "Yes."

Larson said that she looked at Blow and she snapped a pencil that he was holding. "At that point, I knew he knew that I was undercover," said Larson.

Blow was arrested Aug. 17 and was later convicted of possession with intent to distribute \$1.5 million worth of heroin, and using the telephone to promote a narcotics business. His conviction came as a direct result of Larson's testimony as an undercover officer, posing as a "crooked cop" to gain evidence.

Blow is currently awaiting a Jan. 20 sentencing and could receive a prison term of between eight and 88 years in prison, said Larson.

Larson said that her first encounter with Blow was some time ago when she arrested him on a "failure to appear" in court charge. She added that she ran into him June 19, 1988 after she and other officers broke up a craps game on County Street.

"He asked me, 'What's a nice girl like you doing being a cop?'" said Larson. "You need to start looking around for money...you're a good police officer; you might as well start using it to your advantage," Larson said Blow told her.



Patricia Larson

Larson met with Blow several times before calling her immediate supervisor, Sgt. Wilbur Gavin.

"Sgt. Gavin taught me the best foundation for dope and drug investigating...The first year my career was spent learning from Gavin," Larson said.

A week later, Larson met with Gavin, Jim Waters of the FBI, Rick McGoldrick of the Drug Enforcement Agency, and H.C. Davis, a task force agent assigned to the DEA.

"We discussed the matter and came to the conclusion that Blow either wanted to frame me or get into my pants," said Larson. "We decided he wanted to frame me."

At this point, she and the drug agents decided to play along, supplying Blow with false information and the false sense of security that he was protecting him from the authorities.

In fact, Larson said Blow once told her, "You greedy little bitch. It's gonna be great working with you." Larson said Blow was referring to the \$200 a week informant and protection payments that Blow had promised her. The information Larson supplied Blow, she said, was what the DEA told her to tell him.

Larson said that she was given the choice of either continuing with the investigation or ending it. "I wanted to do it," she said.

Larson said that Davis told her

that if this ever went to court, Blow's defense attorney would try to question her integrity, attempting to prove that she and Blow were girlfriend and boyfriend, or that they were sleeping together.

Larson said that the only people that knew she was working undercover were the law enforcement people at the meeting. It was these people upon whom she said she depended to uphold her side of the story.

"My roommate thought that I was taking payoffs from Blow, and my children thought that he was an undercover narcotics agent," said Larson. "I was instructed not to tell anyone...not even my fellow police officers."

Larson described Blow as dangerous, but also having a great sense of humor and being very outgoing. "One thing you don't do with Antonio is to cross him," she said. "One time I crossed Antonio and he really got violent."

Waters and Gavin instructed Larson, after only a few weeks into the investigation, to "cut off all ties with Blow," she said. Larson said she was instructed to call Blow and tell him that he was unfairly using her. "I told him that I was scared and that I didn't want to go to jail."

Larson said that Blow told her to meet him at the convenience store four blocks from her house. Blow began yelling at Larson while they were both in her car in the store parking lot.

"No goddamn female gonna kick me to the curb," Larson said Blow yelled to her. "I own you."

"You don't own me," Larson said she screamed. "I can still kick your ass," she added. Larson said that Blow grabbed her hair and hit her. "If you try to leave me, I will kill you," Larson said Blow told her. "You can't beat on me like a whore off the street," Larson said she told him.

"You're one of us," Larson said Blow told her. "You haven't paid me. I'm not dirty like you," Larson

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said she answered. Larson said that the conversation in the car continued. "He grabbed my leg," she said. "He told me that someday this will be mine."

Larson added that Blow was "always after sex." She said that her female instinct took over and she started crying, in hopes that he wouldn't beat her anymore, or perhaps sexually assault her.

"I'll go to Wilbur (Sgt. Gavin) and tell him we were lovers," Larson said Blow threatened. "He had the resources to make it look like we were lovers," she added. Larson said Blow said that he had access to tape recordings of her voice and could "doctor up" pictures to make it look like they were lovers.

Larson said that she could not use taping devices on her telephone because her roommate would become suspicious and so would her children.

"The one time I tried to use a taping device in my car, it fell out onto my foot while Antonio and I were talking," she said. "He didn't notice, I balanced the recorder on my foot for about twenty minutes while we talked."

Because she didn't receive the \$200 payment Blow promised, Larson said that she demanded the money. "The first \$200 was the last. I did get \$100 here and there."

Although the payments weren't regular, she said, she still felt she had his confidence. It wasn't until she actually came face-to-face with some heroin that the reality was soon becoming a nightmare.

"I returned from a weekend in Richmond the first week of August," said Larson. "He called me

and told me to meet him at the T-nee Giant at 10 p.m." Larson said she and Blow went to Virginia Beach to pick up a "package."

"A car came over and blinked its lights. It was Horace, one of Antonio's dealers," she said. "We headed to Newtown Road to pick up the heroin."

"Then we went to the International House of Pancakes on Virginia Beach Boulevard to get the package," Larson continued. "He handed me a package of heroin. I told him that I didn't want it. He was getting suspicious so I took it. I told him that I didn't want to keep it because of my children and my roommate."

Larson said Blow wanted her to keep it in a safe place. She finally took it. "Once I took the heroin, he knew he had me, and there was no going back."

Larson didn't see Blow for a few days after that, but eventually called Blow to set up a meeting at Denny's restaurant on Military Highway in Chesapeake to return the heroin to Blow. She made that call and set up the meeting at the DEA's request. Larson went to the meeting not knowing exactly what to expect, but she said that she thought the case was coming to a close.

"There were four other people in the restaurant and two DEA agents sitting three booths down," said Larson. "I was crying when he sat down, I told him that I was scared."

Larson said that Blow told her that he knew she wouldn't turn on him. "He handed me \$100 to stay at

a hotel," she said. "He told me that someone was watching my house."

After leaning under the table to hand Blow the heroin, Larson said that Blow told her, "Good girl."

"He leaned down and kissed me on the lips...I was told not to walk out with him because there might be a hostage situation," she said.

She said that she told him she wanted to finish her coffee. "I scratched my back and that was the signal for the agents to get Blow."

Larson said that she continued to play the "crooked cop" when Blow called her from jail. "How could you have done this to me?" Larson said Blow asked her. "I told him that I was under house arrest."

Through an informant, Larson learned that although Blow was behind bars, he placed a contract out on her life. The contract is still out on her and her children were removed from the area.

"I was put under protective custody," she said. "Two weeks before the trial, I was living in different area hotels."

"Of all the things that I had to do, the hardest was putting my three boys on an airplane," she said. "My kids left at the end of August."

Larson jokingly said that she learned, through the experience, how to take extensive notes. However, she said that she learned that she really had more strength in her than she thought she did.

"I'm proud of myself...that I hung in there," said Larson. "I'd do this again in a heartbeat." Larson said the experience and knowledge she gained made her a better police officer. "I learned from the best...Antonio Blow."

Give To Carey's In Time Of Need

By Jimmy Reece
Special To The Sun

"Tis the season to be jolly." Time to make that list and check it twice. The ritual expedition of hunting down the perfect tree, and displaying it in all of its decorative glory, is also the norm for this, the holiday season.

While envisioning sugarplums, or conjuring up the aroma of Christmas turkey, we may and should turn our thoughts to those whose circumstances are more serious and somber.

Unfortunately at this time, we find the story of a Chesapeake family facing illness and an uncertain future.

Just a few short weeks ago, the Carey family; Mark, Sharon (Wheelbarger), and one-year-old son Brandon, were looking forward to Christmas in a big way. Brandon's proud young parents were hustling about malls and shopping centers collecting presents to shover him with on Christmas morning. Gifts for family members, friends, and each other were being purchased at department stores or ordered from catalogs. Wrapping paper and bows were secured for that finishing touch to that holiday tradition of giving. "It was beginning to look a lot like Christmas."

But the last couple of weeks have found a drastic change in those happy events. The presents have been returned to their respective merchants. The paper and bows, having wrapped nothing, sit lonely in a closet. Heartache has replaced cheer.

It seems that Sharon had a bout with tonsillitis and was given antibiotics to ward off the infection. Not being able to shake her illness, other complications began to occur. Besides the sore throat, her gums bled, fever persisted, tiredness set in, and finally bruises appeared. Her doctor ordered blood work done. The results of the tests revealed the last thing the Carey family ever wanted to hear. Sharon was diagnosed as having acute leukemia. She was hospitalized immediately.

Leukemia is a life threatening form of cancer which invades the bone marrow. Having the acute form of the disease, the first few days of treatment were crucial for Sharon. "It was tough and go for awhile, sometimes we thought we would lose her," Mark said. She has

When you know someone who continually gives, giving to them in their time of need comes as second nature. Now is that time.

undergone a grueling series of chemotherapy treatments, rubdowns to relieve fever, and other medicines in an attempt to achieve a state of remission.

In mid-January Sharon will travel to Baltimore, Md. for Johns Hopkins University to accept a bone marrow transplant. The procedure could take six weeks to six months. Sharon has been through so much already and faces still more pain and discomfort.

Sharon and Mark were both raised in the South Norfolk area of Chesapeake, where they attended Oscar Smith High School together. They were married in 1981 and remained in South Norfolk until two years ago, when they bought a home in the Wildwood Heights section of Great Bridge. A little over a year ago their family was made complete when Michael Brandon was born.

Sharon, who just turned 27 Dec. 5, has identified with other people's problems for over eight years while working at Chesapeake's court service unit. The unit deals with youngster's troubles as well as family problems while housing the city's juvenile probation officers and domestic specialty counselors.

Sharon maintains the most positive attitude a person in her situation could possibly possess. She genuinely expresses more concern for Mark and Brandon and how her family members and friends are taking this, than she does for her own needs or worries. Everyone would do well to know a person of her caliber in their lifetime.

Husband Mark, 28, is an accomplished artist, with works published in "Readers Digest," "Changing Times" and other magazines. Mark, who is employed by the Norfolk Naval Shipyard as a designer, conceded that he will never become rich as an artist because of all the art he gives away. Being an artist myself, I more than readily state that when Mark Carey donates artwork, you've definitely received a gift, some of the art he has donated includes a logo for Chesapeake volunteers for Youth Services, Inc., the promotional artwork for the Clarence Clemmons Concert to benefit youth, and coincidentally, his work

graces the lobby walls at Chesapeake General Hospital where Sharon has been cared for since this ordeal began.

Mark's co-workers at the yard have expressed their concern by giving blood, and to help ease the family's plight, have donated enough hours in personal leave to afford him time by his wife's side during this trying time.

Sharon, being a Virginia employee, is ineligible for this type of gesture. A quick check showed that only an act of legislation could change that policy. Therefore, Sharon's leave time has expired and her status has now fallen into the "leave without pay" category.

The only certainties in the Careys' future seem to be uncertainty, and impending bills. Although health insurance is covering a percentage of the medical costs, the loss of Sharon's income and the out of pocket expenses incurred are creating a financial burden to say the least. An estimate of the bone marrow transplant procedure and expenses involved could top the \$100,000 mark.

From past experience I know, that when informed of a family situation like the Careys' - you'd be hard pressed to find a community that responds more readily than this area in which we live. When you know of someone who continually



Sharon Carey with her son Brandon.

gives, giving to them in their time of need comes as second nature. Now is that time.

Mark Carey would like to express that folks' prayers have gotten them from the start to where we are today. If everyone could include Sharon in their prayers, it would be the greatest Christmas present she could receive.

A special bank account has been set up to field donations to this cause. Stop by or make checks payable to: The Sharon Carey Fund, Crestar Bank - Southgate Branch, 2421 Bainbridge Blvd., Chesapeake, Va. 23324. Tricia Nance is in charge.

For more information feel free to contact me, Jimmy Reece, before 6 p.m. at 545-3309 or after 6 p.m. at 482-5963.

Council Of Civic Organizations Presents One United Voice

By S. L. Cameron
Staff Writer

Chesapeake residents who are looking for a voice to represent them need look no further than the Chesapeake Council of Civic Organizations.

CCCO is an umbrella organization which represents 18 of Chesapeake's civic groups. It started one year ago in an effort to present one united voice to local and state politicians.

"We joined together to put our

ideas together, to be better organized and help the city, and ourselves, be better managed," said Phil Johnson, president of the CCCO.

Johnson added that their concerns are basically those shared by most Chesapeake residents: transportation, water, the capital budget, roads and many more.

"For example roads," Johnson explains. "Instead of every civic league going to the council or the legislature, we, as an umbrella for the leagues, go to represent the

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Joseph Fedor Is A Great American Patriot

By S. L. Cameron
Staff Writer

When you meet Westhaven resident Joseph Fedor, you get the distinct impression that the U.S. Flag flies high and mighty over his home. Why? Because Fedor is a "representative" of the flag, and the principles for which it stands.

"This is my job, this is my life," he said.

Fedor is the 79-year-old chairman of the Americanism-Patriotism Committee of Branch 40 of the Fleet Reserve Association (FRA) in South Norfolk. Fedor was recently selected as "Shipmate of the Year for Patriotism," a very high honor in the national FRA.

Fedor proudly explains that the FRA is a 339 branch, 150,000 member organization made up of men from the Navy, Marines and Coast Guard. Fedor himself is retired from the Navy.

"I joined the Navy in 1926, retired in 1949 and was called back in 1950 for the Korean War," he said. He also served active duty in World War II.

"I have 25 years actual service," Fedor said. "I served aboard the U.S.S. Semmes, a destroyer."

Fedor was a quartermaster chief and saw a lot of dangerous action in World War II.

"It was rough duty," he explains. "We had a lot of scares. We got missiles dropped and shot at. We did a lot of escort duty. That's dangerous duty."

Fedor said he saw a lot of ships sunk by German submarines just off the coast at Cape Hatteras, N.C. "Right off the East coast, they went down," he said. "Cape Hatteras is known as the East coast graveyard."

Fedor explained that his ship was primarily experimental.

"Whatever the Navy got, they tried it out first on us. We were the first American ship to have radar and sonar. The English had it before us," he said. "Everything we did used to be confidential, but it's not anymore."

In the Korean War, Fedor was called back so that the younger men could go active duty. It was his job

to teach Americanism to boot camp instructors.

"All the old chiefs were called back. We went back to relieve the others who could go active," Fedor said. "I was assigned to teaching citizenship."

And he never stopped teaching it from then on.

"They started teaching citizenship and patriotism because Eisenhower didn't think they knew what they were fighting for," Fedor said. "All the branches now have to teach it in boot camp."

Fedor retired for the second time from the service in 1952 and became a salesman. But after a couple of heart attacks, he retired altogether in 1970. He has been active with the Fleet Reserve since then.

As chairman of the Americanism-Patriotism Committee, Fedor goes around to the Chesapeake and Portsmouth area schools and teaches students about what the flag and the Pledge of Allegiance means.

"I feel very good about doing this. Teaching Americanism and patriotism is what I'm about," Fedor said. "I go out to schools and show 3, 4, and 5-year-olds what these symbols mean and the colors. This is a program I'm very proud of. I talk about the flag and explain what the things mean. After I finished I give them each a little flag."

Fedor has received numerous compliments on the work he has done with patriotism.

"The teachers say they're glad that someone comes in and tells the students what it's all about," he said. "It makes you feel good knowing you've done something worthwhile."

The FRA is involved in many charitable things throughout the area and all this keeps Fedor very busy.

"I'm going all the time, with this and that," he said. "But I get a good feeling from it. I love doing it."

Photo Feature

CCO Holds Installation Of 1989 Officers And Directors



New CCO Officers and directors Ron Makela, Herb Taylor, Deane Williams, Laurie Clinton, Maury Jackson, Carol La-Horner, Gene Moore, Ernie Ball, and Joe Burroughs.



Mayor Oberndorf speaks to the members and guests of the CCO.



Greg Goldfarb, local newspaper editor, chats with former Mayor Robert Jones and his wife Carol, over dessert.



(Left to right) Deane and Carol Williams and Roger and Meyera Oberndorf enjoy dessert.

The Virginia Beach Council of Civic Organizations recently held its 29th annual Christmas dinner and installation of officers.

Former president of CCO Lee Banks gave up his position to new president Ron Makela.

"I did it by choice," Banks said. "I felt like I had accomplished pretty much."

In reference to Makela, Banks said, "He's a very well motivated, hard working fellow."

Makela, who said he will provide support, advice and expertise to the member leagues said, "It's a challenge as far as what the group is responsible for doing."

After the social hour, Banks welcomed and introduced the dinner's special guests. New treasurer Ken Palmer then read the invocation and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Deane Williams, new second vice president, introduced guest speaker Mayor Meyera Oberndorf after dinner. Banks then recognized the retiring officers and directors.

The 1989 officers and directors are president, Ron Makela; first vice president, Herb Taylor; second vice president, Deane Williams; recording secretary, Laurie Clinton; corresponding secretary, Maury Jackson; treasurer, Ken Palmer and directors Jim Guion, Carol La-Horner, Frank Chebetar, Gene Moore, Ernie Ball, and Joe Burroughs.

Remarks were made by the new president and then the Guy Taylor Orchestra provided entertainment.



Guests mingle at the CCO Christmas dinner.



Deane Williams, program director, introduces the guest speaker.



The Guy Taylor Orchestra provided entertainment for the evening.



Mayor Meyera Oberndorf and Alex Marshall of a Norfolk newspaper dance to the tunes of the Guy Taylor Orchestra.

Public Notice

Auction: 1979 MERCURY ZEPHER Serial Number: #9X31T603602 Auction date: JANUARY 4, 1989 Time 11:00 a.m. at Norfolk Motor Company, 7000 N. Military Highway, Norfolk, Virginia 23518.

Norfolk Motor Company Reserves the right to Bid.

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Public Notice

Auction: 1979 HONDA ACCORD Serial Number: #SMD1144159 Auction date: JANUARY 4, 1989 Time 11:00 a.m. at Norfolk Motor Company, 7000 N. Military Highway, Norfolk, Virginia 23518.

Norfolk Motor Company Reserves the right to Bid.

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Public Notice

Auction: 1979 HONDA CIVIC Serial Number: #WBA 5011591 Auction date: JANUARY 4, 1989 Time 11:00 a.m. at Norfolk Motor Company, 7000 N. Military Highway, Norfolk, Virginia 23518.

Norfolk Motor Company Reserves the right to Bid.

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Public Notice

MECHANICS LIEN SALE

By virtue of Section 43-34 of the Virginia Motor Vehicle code, the undersigned will sell at public auction on Friday Dec 30, 1988 at 10:00 a.m. at 3904 Colley Ave. Norfolk, Va., reserving unto itself the right to bid, the following motorcycles to satisfy liens for storage and/or repairs:

1987 Suzuki
ID#JJS1NP41AOH2104823
The Motorcycle Co. Inc.
George Hillier

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Public Notice

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF ACCOUNTS
CIRCUIT COURT OF THE CITY OF VIRGINIA BEACH, VIRGINIA

December 12, 1988
DONNA KRANHENBILL
AMMERMAN, Deceased
NOTICE is hereby given, pur-

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suant to Section 64.1-171, as amended, Code of Virginia, that the undersigned Commissioner of Accounts, having been requested by Donald E. Washburn, Administrator, of the Estate of Donna Krahenbill Ammerman, deceased, has appointed the 28th day of December, 1988, at 3:00 p.m., at 129 South Great Neck Road, Virginia Beach, Virginia, as the time and place for receiving proof of debts and demands against the decedent or her estate.

Stanley A. Phillips
Commissioner of Accounts
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Public Notice

The Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a Public Hearing on Wednesday, January 4, 1989, at 2:00 p.m., in the City Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, Municipal Center, Virginia Beach, Virginia. The staff briefing will be held at 1:30 p.m., in the City Council Meeting Office. The following applications will appear on the agenda.

*PLEASE NOTE: IF NO ONE APPEARS BEFORE THE BOARD TO REPRESENT THE APPLICATION, THE VARIANCE COULD BE DENIED!!

REGULAR AGENDA:

Case 1: Harold and Arvid Lawless requests a variance of 8.5 feet to a 1.5 foot side yard setback (West side) instead of 10 feet as required (proposed car port on Lot 12, Block B, Section 1, Sherry Park, 920 Sherry Avenue. Kempsville Borough. Zoning: R-10

Case 2: Mark and Connie Schreiber requests a variance of 20 feet to a 30 foot front yard setback (Haversham Close) instead of 50 feet as required and of 5 feet to a 25 foot setback from Dey Cove Drive instead of 30 feet as required for side yards adjacent to a street (proposed dwelling) on Lot 70, Section 1,

Broad Bay Point Greens, 2433 Haversham Close. Lynnhaven Borough. Zoning: R-30 (OP)

Case 3: Christopher J. Fanney requests a variance of 7.70 feet to a 2.30 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet as required and of 5.50 feet to a 2.50 foot side yard setback (north side) instead of 8 feet as required (Accessory structures - decking and storage shed) on Lot 4, Block 8, Section E, Cape Henry, 7006 Atlantic Avenue. Lynnhaven Borough. Zoning: R5R

Case 4: Margaret T. Cocke requests a variance of 21.7 feet to a 8.3 foot setback from Myrtle Avenue instead of 30 feet as required (proposed residential addition) on Lot B, Redivision of Lots 59, and 60, The Hollies, 4504 Myrtle Avenue. Virginia Beach Borough. Zoning: R7-5

Case 5: Walter D. and Anne Fetterly requests a variance of 7 feet to a 23 foot front yard setback (south Atlantic Avenue) instead of 30 feet as required (proposed steps and decking) on Lot 4, Parcel D, Croatan Beach, 201 Lockheed Avenue. Lynnhaven Borough. Zoning: R-10

Case 6: Abelardo C. Atilano requests a variance of 5 feet to a 5 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet as required (accessory building - storing shed) on Lot 26, Block G, Section 2, Birchwood Gardens, 428 Hopkins Road. Lynnhaven Borough. Zoning: R7.5

Case 7: Robert A. Widener requests a variance of 5.4 feet to a 14.6 foot setback from Guam Avenue and of 4.5 feet to a 15.5 foot setback from Fentress Avenue instead of 20 feet each as required and of 5.8 feet to a 4.2 foot side yard setback (west side) instead of 10 feet as required (proposed duplex) on Lots 9 and 10, Block 9, Chesapeake Shores, 4601 Guam Avenue, Bayside Borough. Zoning: R5R

Case 8: Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Hardock requests a variance of 7 feet to a 13 foot rear yard setback (west side) instead of 20 feet as required (proposed sunroom) on Lot 1, King's Point, 410 King James Court. Lynnhaven Borough. Zoning: R7.5

Case 9: South Birdneck Business Park requests a variance to waive the Category VI Landscaping along the northern and southern property lines where required for bulk storage yards on Parcel C, subdivision of Part of Howard P. Ivys, 593 South Birdneck Road. Lynnhaven Borough. Zoning: I1

Case 10: Michael and Diane Cook requests a variance of 8.5 feet to a 1.5 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet as required and of 3 feet to a 2 foot side yard setback (east side) instead of 5 feet as required (proposed accessory building - storage shed and swimming pool pump) on Lot 311, Section 5, Red Mill Farm, 1309 Warner Hall Drive. Princess Anne Borough. Zoning: R7-5

Case 11: Mary L. Flanagan requests a variance to waive the 6 foot fence and Category VI Landscaping where required for automotive repair garages on Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, First Colonial Road at Laskin Road. Lynnhaven Borough. Zoning: B-2

Case 12: Hickory Lake Associates requests a variance of 3000 square feet in land area to 27,000 square feet of land area instead of 30,000 square feet of land area as required for automotive gasoline service with retail stores on Parcel "B", Block B-Part 2, Section L-8, Green Run, Lynnhaven Parkway and Rosemont Road. Princess Anne Borough. Zoning: PDH1.

Case 13: Sanders Development Co., Inc. c/o Richard L. Phipps requests a variance of 899 square feet in land area to 19,101 square feet in land area as required and to waive the fencing and Category VI Landscaping where required for an automotive lubrication establishment on Parcel 5, subdivision of South Commercial site - Dam Neck Estates, Dam Neck Road. Princess Anne Borough. Zoning: B-2

Case 14: Michael D. Sifen requests a variance of 2 feet to an 8 foot side yard setback (east and west sides) instead of 10 feet as required and of 1581 square feet in building floor area to 5081 square feet in building floor area instead of 3500 square feet in building area as allowed and of (1) parking space to (3) parking spaces instead of (4) parking spaces as required and to allow 40 (40%) percent in lot coverage instead of 35 (35%) percent in lot coverage as allowed (proposed conversion of single family to a duplex) on Lot 9, Block 30, Plat of Ocean Park, 3730 Jefferson Boulevard. Bayside Borough. Zoning: R5R

DEFERRED AGENDA:

Case D-1: W.N. Hall requests a variance of 25 feet in lot width to 75 feet in lot width instead of 100

feet in lot width as required and of 775.25 square feet in land area to 19,224.75 square feet in land area instead of 20,000 square feet in land area as required for motor vehicle sales and rental establishments on Lots 17, 18, 19, 39, 40 and 41, Euclid Place, 205 Dorset Avenue. Bayside Borough. Zoning: B-2

Case D-2: Harmon E. and Ann H. Long requests a variance to allow 851 square feet in floor area instead of 500 square feet in floor area as allowed for accessory structures (proposed 30 foot by 25 foot detached garage and existing 8.3 foot by 12.2 foot storage shed) on Lot 74, Section 2, Lawson Forest, 5600 Sedgemoor Road, Bayside Borough. Zoning: R-10

Case D-3: Frank A. McKinney by Samuel Brown, Attorney requests a variance of 25 feet to a 5 foot setback from Providence Road instead of 30 feet as required through lot (swimming pool) on Lot 3, Block X, Section 4, Bellamy Manor, 4705 Chalfont Drive. Kempsville Borough. Zoning: R-10

Case D-4: Charles H. O'Brien requests a variance to allow parking of major recreational equipment in front of a building instead of behind the nearest portion of a building adjacent to a public street on Lot 12, Block 8, Section 10-B, Windsor Woods, 3616 South Gladstone Arch. Lynnhaven Borough. Zoning: R-6

Case D-5: Paul D. and Christine Casady requests a variance to allow parking of major recreational equipment in front of a building instead of behind the nearest portion of a building adjacent to a public street on Lot 1, Block 2, Section 2, Windsor Woods, 324 Palace Green Boulevard. Lynnhaven Borough. Zoning: R-6

Case D-6: Kenneth W. Ray requests a variance to allow parking of major recreational equipment in

front of a building instead of behind the nearest portion of a building adjacent to a public street on Lot 6, Block 4, Section 4, Windsor Woods, 3857 Windsor Woods Boulevard. Kempsville Borough. Zoning: R7.5

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James A. Wood
Secretary
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Public Notice

Virginia:

The regular meeting of the City Council of Virginia Beach will be held in the Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, Municipal Center, Princess Anne Station, Virginia Beach, Virginia, on Monday, January 9, 1989, at 2:00 p.m. at which time the following applications will be heard:

CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION:
KEMPSSVILLE BOROUGH:

1. An Ordinance upon Application of Marriott Corporation for a Conditional Zoning Classification from R-5D Residential Duplex District to H-1 Hotel District on the northwest side of Euclid Road, 500 feet more or less southwest of Kellam Road. Said parcel is located at 4764 and 4760 Euclid Road and contains 2.67 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning.

LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH:
2. An Ordinance upon Application of Cedar Cove Assoc. - General Partner, Joe Addington, Jr., for

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The Virginia Beach Sun Reader Mail-In Survey

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a Change of Zoning District Classification from R-30 Residential District to R-30 Residential District on certain property located at the southeast corner of Adam Keeling Road and West Twin Cove Road. Said parcel contains 26,976 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning.

LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

3. An Ordinance upon Application of Dale P. and Jeanette B. Myers for a **Change of Zoning District Classification** from R-7.5 Residential District to A-12 Apartment District on the south side of 23rd Street, 265 feet west of Barberton Drive on Lots 8 and 9, Block 3, Woodland. Said parcels contain 10,400 square feet.

LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT:

BAYSIDE BOROUGH:

4. An Ordinance upon Application of William N. & Maxine H. Hall for a **Conditional Use Permit** for motor vehicles sales and rental on Lots 17, 18, 19, 39, 40 and 41, Block 41, Euclid Place. Said parcel is located at 204 Dorset Avenue and contains 20,625 square feet.

BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

5. An Ordinance upon Application of Amoco Oil Company for a **Conditional Use Permit** for a car wash at the southwest corner of Northampton Boulevard and Baker. Said parcel is located at 5765 Northampton Boulevard and contains 29,285 square feet. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning.

BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

6. An Ordinance upon Application of Amoco Oil Company for a **Conditional Use Permit** for gasoline pumps and a car wash in conjunction with a convenience store on certain property located at the northwest corner of Haygood Road and Crossborough Road. Said parcel contains 41,665 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning.

BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

7. An Ordinance upon Application of James A. Tinkham, Jr. for a **Conditional Use Permit** for an auto repair establishment (Quick Lube), a car wash and gas pumps on certain property located at the northwest corner of Independence Boulevard and N. Wickhuck Road. Said parcel contains 1,092 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning.

BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH:

8. An Ordinance upon Application of Walter F. Sullivan, Bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Richmond, for a **Conditional Use Permit** for a church on the north side of Salem Road, 340 feet more or less west of Highland Drive. Said parcel is located at 2304 Salem road and contains 3 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning.

KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

9. An Ordinance upon Application of Paul's Motor Company for a **Conditional Use Permit** for bulk storage and an automobile repair garage on certain property located on the east side of Happy Street, 265 feet south of Bonney Road. Said parcel contains 1,205 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning.

KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

10. An Ordinance upon Application of Ronald M. Kramer for a **Conditional Use Permit** for an automobile repair service establishment on the south side of Indian River road, 609.53 feet east of Kempsville Road. Said parcel is located at 5217 Indian River Road and contains 34,082 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning.

KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

RECONSIDERATION OF CONDITIONS:

KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH:

11. Application of Ronald M. Kramer for the reconsideration of conditions placed on the application for a change of zoning from R-6 Residential District to B-2 Community Business District on May 14, 1984. Property is located at 5217 Indian River Road. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning.

AMMENDMENT:

12. Motion of the Planning Commission of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Article 13 of the City Zoning Ordinance pertaining to the Historic and Cultural District. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

Ruth Hodges Smith, CMC/AEE City Clerk

Public Notice

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 9th day of December, 1988.

In re: Change of name from MOLLY ELIZABETH LAWRENCE TO MOLLY ELIZABETH SMITH

By: Jacqueline Jeannette Smith, her mother, petitioners

To: Thomas G. Lawrence

9621 Chesapeake Boulevard, Apt 7D

Norfolk, Virginia 23503

IN CHANCERY # CH88-3282

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

This day came Jacqueline Jeannette Smith, petitioners, and represented that the object of this proceeding is to effect the change of name of the above named infant, MOLLY ELIZABETH LAWRENCE TO MOLLY ELIZABETH SMITH by Jacqueline Jeannette Smith, her mother, and affidavit having been made and filed that THOMAS G. LAWRENCE, a natural parent of said child, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being: 9621 Chesapeake Boulevard, Apt. 7D, Norfolk, Virginia 23503 and that due diligence has been used by or in behalf of the said Petitioner to ascertain in what county or corporation the respondent is, without effect.

It is therefore Ordered that the said THOMAS G. LAWRENCE appear before this Court within ten (10) days after publication of this Order and indicate his attitude toward the proposed change of name or otherwise do what is necessary to protect his interest in this matter.

It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A Copy Teste:

J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk

By: Linda D. Jones D.C.

Linda N. Huss, Esquire p.q.

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411-11VBVS

Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 13th day of December, 1988.

Robert Damage Payne, Jr., Plaintiff, against DOROTHY DELANEY PAYNE, Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Docket # CH88-2896

The object of this suit is for the plaintiff to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii from the said defendant, upon the grounds of one year separation. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the state of Virginia, the last known post office address being 317 South Sequoia Drive, Apartment 411, West Palm Beach, Florida, 33409 it is ordered that DOROTHY DELANEY PAYNE do appear on or before the 3rd of February, 1989, and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit. It is further ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A Copy Teste:

J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk

By: Raymond W. Brown D.C.

A. Bartlett Keil

Greenwich Professional Center

5520 Greenwich Road

Va. Beach, Va., 23462

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411-11VBVS

Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 12th day of December, 1988, ANGELA SMITH COOPER, Plaintiff, against HANK COOPER, Defendant.

The object of this suit is for the said plaintiff to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the said defendant, upon the grounds of adultery, or alternatively desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being c/o John & Mary Cooper, 107 Wofford Dr., Conway S.C. 29526 it is ordered that Hank Cooper do appear on or before the 2nd of February, 1989, and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A Copy Teste:

J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk

By: Linda D. Jones D.C.

Charles V. Bashara p.q.

Bashara & Hubbard

414 W. Bute Street

Norfolk, Virginia 23510

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411-11VBVS

Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 6th day of December, 1988.

TODD H. BOGARDUS, Plaintiff, against REBECCA LYNN BOGARDUS, Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Docket # CH88-1499

The object of this suit is for the said plaintiff to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the said defendant, upon the grounds of living separate and apart for more than one year. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being General Delivery, St. Louis, Missouri it is ordered that Rebecca Lynn Bogardus do appear on or before the 27th of January, 1989, and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit. It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

Frank E. Butler, III p.q.

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Virginia Beach, Virginia 23451

A Copy Teste:

J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk

By: Linda D. Jones D.C.

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411-4VBVS

Public Notice

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE CITY OF VIRGINIA BEACH

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF EVA STEIN, DECEASED

SHOW CAUSE ORDER AGAINST DISTRIBUTION OF ESTATE

CHANCERY NO. CH88-3784

THIS DAY CAME Selma Coplon, Executrix of this Estate and files with leave of Court a Motion for Show Cause Order against distribution of this Estate.

It appearing to the Court that a report of the accounts of Selma Coplon, Executrix of the Estate of Eva Stein, deceased, and of the debts and demands against the Estate has been filed in the Clerk's Office, and that six months have elapsed since the qualification, on motion of the Executrix, it is ORDERED that the creditors of, and all other persons interested in this Estate show cause, if any they can, on the 20th day of January, 1989, at 10:00 a.m., before this Court at its courtroom, against the payment and delivery of the estate to the parties entitled thereto, with or without requiring refunding bond as this Court may determine.

It is further ORDERED that a duly certified copy hereof be published once a week for two successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this jurisdiction.

I ask for this:

Richard F. Broudy, Esq.

Suite 310 Pembroke One Building

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A Copy Teste: J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk

By Jeanette Jones D.C.

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2112-28VBVS

Public Notice

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE CITY OF VIRGINIA BEACH

IN RE: ESTATE OF LILLIAN V. CASEY, DECEASED

Probate No: 85-349

CH88-3763

SHOW CAUSE ORDER

It appearing that a report of the accounts of Raymond L. Casey, Executor of the Estate of Lillian V. Casey, deceased, and of the debts and demands against her estate has been filed in the Clerk's Office, and that six months have elapsed since the qualification, on motion of Raymond L. Casey, Executor, by counsel, IT IS ORDERED that the creditors of, and all others interested in the estate do show cause, if any they can, at 10:00 a.m. on the 6th day of January, 1989, before this Court at its courtroom against the payment and delivery of the Estate of Lillian V. Casey, deceased, to Louis Denise Casey, a surviving daughter without refunding bonds.

It is further ordered that the foregoing portion of this Order be published once a week for two successive weeks in The Virginia Sun, a newspaper published in the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia.

I ask for this:

Diane E. McNamara, attorney for

Raymond L. Casey, Executor

1432 N. Great Neck Road, Suite

101

Virginia Beach, VA 23454

(804) 481-6600

A Copy Teste: J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk

By Jeanette Jones D.C.

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2112-28VBVS

Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 28th day of November, 1988, DANIEL A. VINER, Plaintiff, against ELOUISE C. MOON VINER, Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Docket #CH88-3602

This object of this suit is for the plaintiff to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii from the said defendant, upon the grounds of willful desertion or abandonment: alternatively, a divorce Vinculo Matrimonii on the grounds that the parties have lived separate and apart, without co-habitation and without interruption for a period exceeding one year and an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being 1233 Remount Road, North Charleston, South Carolina, 29406, it is ordered that ELOUISE C. MOON VINER do appear on or before the 19th of January, 1989, and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit. It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A Copy Teste:

J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk

Raymond W. Bjorkman D.C.

John O. Venner p.q.

Attorney at Law

2840 South Lynnhaven Road

Virginia Beach, Virginia, 23452

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4112-28VBVS

Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 30th day of November, 1988.

SUSAN ELIZABETH GERTZ, Plaintiff, against CHARLES MELVIN GERTZ, Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Docket #CH88-3346

The object of this suit is for the plaintiff to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii from the said defendant, upon the grounds of continuous and uninterrupted desertion for a period in excess of one year. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being Lot 29, Shad Road, Corolla, NC, 27927, and the plaintiff having exercised due diligence in trying to ascertain same, having engaged private detectives, made inquiries of

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friends and relatives, and worked through the police department, it is ordered that CHARLES MELVIN GERTZ do appear on or before the 23rd of January, 1989, and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A Copy Teste:

J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk

By: Raymond W. Bjorkman D.C.

Beril M. Abraham p.q.

Pender & Coward

Attorneys at Law

Fourth Floor, Greenwich Centre

192 Ballard Court

Va. Beach, Virginia, 23462

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4112-28VBVS

Public Notice

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 18th day of November, 1988.

In re: NAME CHANGE of CARLY LYNN WASTENEYS-MALINOWSKI TO CARLY LYNN WASTENEYS

By: JUDITH ALICE WASTENEYS, Petitioner

To: STEVE CRAIG MALINOWSKI, 449 Linwood Drive, Riverside, CA 92506.

IN CHANCERY #CH88-3338

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

This day came JUDITH ALICE WASTENEYS, Petitioner, and represented that the object of this proceeding is to effect the Name Change of the above named infant, CARLY LYNN WASTENEYS-MALINOWSKI, by JUDITH ALICE WASTENEYS and affidavit having been made and filed that STEVE CRAIG MALINOWSKI a natural parent of said child, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being: 449 Linwood Drive, Riverside, CA 92506.

It is therefore Ordered that the said STEVE CRAIG MALINOWSKI appear before this Court within (10) days after publication of this Order and indicate his attitude toward the proposed Name Change or otherwise do what is necessary to protect his interest in this matter.

It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A Copy Teste:

J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk

By: Linda D. Jones

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Community News

Contract

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The battle for the Navy contract has been on-going since June when both companies bid on it. In September, the Navy announced that CDI had won the contract. SMA then filed complaints, alleging that CDI took part in espionage and price gauging.

Fuentes intends on taking the case to federal court and Valentine plans to fight him every step of the way.

Lee Cahill's City Council Report

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improvements should be uniform throughout the state.

Councilman John A. Baum said that the amortization proposal represents a "substantial taking of personal property."

Councilman Harold Heischouer considered the proposed change a "substantial taking of personal property." He said that beauty does not take precedence over constitutional rights.

Councilwoman Reba McClanan pointed out that the law does not say an individual is entitled to every

use of property. Businesses have assumed they have the right to put everything they want on a piece of property, she said.

"We need to send out a message that quality costs," Councilman John D. Moss added.

Voting to kill the proposal were Councilman Albert W. Balko, Baum, Heischouer, John L. Perry and William D. Sessoms, and Fentress. In the minority were Mayor Meyera Oberndorf, Councilwomen McClanan, Nancy Parker and Barbara Henley and Councilman John D. Moss.

Council also unanimously accepted changes recommended by Fentress in fire safety regulations. The original proposal would have given the city authority to adopt more restrictive safety regulations than are permitted under the State Code, The Virginia Beach Ho-

tel/Motel Association, the Hampton Roads Chamber of Commerce/Virginia Beach Council, and the Tidewater Builders Association had all opposed local measure, opting for state-wide action.

Mayor's Report

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Agriculture in Virginia Beach remains competitive due to highly productive soils, good managers, long growing season, usually adequate rainfall distribution, and proximity to markets. Farmers are confronted with many challenges, such as technological changes, intrusion of non-farm rural residents, and environmental concerns, however, agriculture will remain in Virginia Beach for many years to come.

This article was compiled through the courtesy and assistance of Louis Cullipher, director of Agriculture and Virginia Tech Extension Services.

CCCO

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views of the groups in one united voice."

Most recently the CCCO has been working to help the citizens better understand the Southeastern Expressway.

"We've been involved in the Southeastern Expressway," Johnson said. "In fact, on January 4 we're having a public hearing on the different proposals that have to do with the project." The meeting will be at 7 p.m. at the Greenbrier Congregational Christian Church.

Johnson said the meeting will be for the people to express their concerns about the expressway, how it will affect their homes and to clear up misunderstandings about the project.

The CCCO also attempts to make sense of the many rumors that go around the city according to Johnson.

"There are many, many rumors that go around Chesapeake," Johnson said. "We go to the people involved and get the real story so that

people will know what's really going on."

Johnson said the CCCO is constantly looking to expand its base and encourages other groups to get involved.

"We have people who go out to speak to individuals and groups who are interested in forming a civic organization," Johnson said. "They contact me, or write to our post office box, which is P.O. Box 16031, Chesapeake, Va. 23320."

He added that it doesn't tell the group what their platform should be, but merely help them get formed.

"We tell them how to get formed, we don't tell them what their views should be," he said.

Johnson said the most important thing the group does is keep open lines of communication.

"We want to help the lines stay open, we want people to know there are groups out there who are listening to them," he said.

Lil Youell's Christmas Traditions

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Decorating with evergreens is one of the oldest of these customs. The use of ivy in worship dates back to ancient Greece. Romans adorned their homes with greenery, especially laurel, following the winter solstice when the sun was at its lowest point on the horizon. The greenery symbolized the fruition of crops when the sun would again bring warmth to the land.

Holly was used in churches with the explanation that the berries stood for the blood of Christ and the prickly leaves, the crown of thorns. But because mistletoe was honored in Norse legend and worshipped by the pagan Druids, its use was discouraged. Nevertheless, the folk custom of kissing under the mistletoe persisted.

From England came carols and caroling as well as the custom of burning the yule log, though its origin may date back to a Germano-Celtic pastoral feast. The same word was used in Scandinavia, which was the area of origin for Christmas candles.

While sending greeting cards originated in England in the 1840's, the father of the American Christmas card was Louis Prang, who had come from Germany. The first record of a Christmas tree was an 1821 diary entry by a German settler in Pennsylvania.

From Mexico came the poinsettia, introduced into the United States in 1830 by Joel Roberts Poinsett for whom it was named. He had been the first U.S. Minister to Mexico, and brought the plant back to his native state of South Carolina where it flourished and spread to other states.

The Santa Claus legend came about this way. The original St. Nicholas (Sancti Herr 'Claus) was a Bishop in Asia Minor in the fourth century. A patron saint throughout the Eastern Orthodox Church, he gave gifts to children on the eve of his feast day, Dec. 6. This custom spread to Germany, Italy, Holland and elsewhere.

The Germans who migrated from Switzerland to Pennsylvania brought the legend of Christkindl - the Christ child who brought presents on Christmas Eve. English settlers soon changed this to Kriss Kringle. When the Dutch arrived in America, they retained Dec. 6 as the day to honor "Sinterklaas" - a form of Sint Nikolaas for whom the first church built in New York was named.

"Sinterklaas" was eventually Anglicized into Santa Claus, who was then Americanized by a poet and two artists. In 1823, Clement Moore wrote his famous poem, "A Visit From St. Nicholas," describing Santa as a jolly old elf. Ironically, it was in the midst of the Civil War that the artist Thomas Nast began drawing Santa for "Harper's Weekly." Dressed in

land. The Puritans opposed it altogether as having no biblical sanction. Indeed, the Roundhead Parliament of 1643 went so far as to outlaw Christmas completely, and it was not until the Restoration in 1660 that the citizen reclaimed the holiday.

The Puritans who settled New England continued to oppose the event. In fact, the General Court of Massachusetts enacted a law denouncing the observance of setting a fine of five shillings for every offense. Even after this anti-Christmas law was repealed in 1681, there was strong religious antagonism to the feast.

It wasn't until 1836 that Christmas in the United States received its first legal recognition by the state of Alabama. Within the next quarter-century, all the states and territories, including the District of Columbia, followed suit. Christmas then became the only annual religious holiday to receive an official and secular sanction.

Contemporary customs associated with this holiday in America have come from many races, religions, and regions of the world. Today, we celebrate Christmas with a curious hybrid of traditions, many of which have little to do with the birth in a Bethlehem stable some 2,000 years ago. The stars and stripes of the Union, his first Santa appeared Jan. 3, 1863 on the cover of this national magazine.

For 24 years, Nast drew an annual cartoon of a warm and jovial Santa. He was the first to suggest that Santa's toy workshop was located at the North Pole. In 1890, when Nast put together a collection of his black and white Christmas drawings, Santa was well established as an American tradition.

Then Santa's image was changed again and perhaps for good when Haddon Sundblom was hired by the Coca Cola Company to promote their product. His first ad was a colorful picture of Santa Claus drinking a coke. For thirty years, he painted a new Santa ad annually, using as his model Lou Prentice, who represented all the features we associate today with Santa. He was "chubby and plump, a right jolly old elf...His eyes how they twinkled! His dimples how merry!"

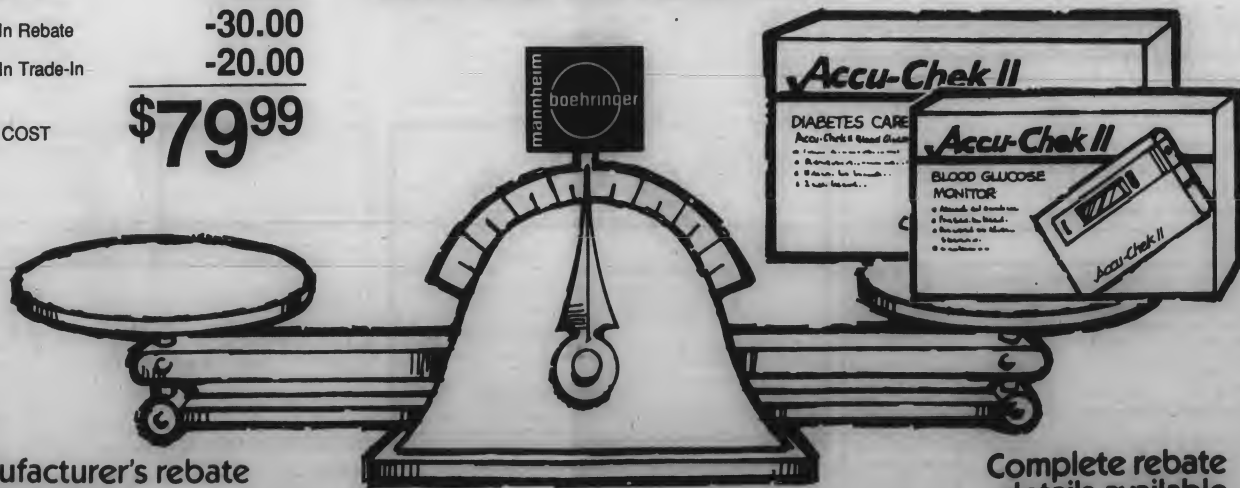
No matter the origin, the various and disparate customs connected with the Christmas season help to create what is now known as the "Christmas Spirit." Whether observed as a holy day, a holiday, or a combination of both, everyone is touched by Christmas in some way. Either as a much-loved social event or as an occasion for spiritual rejoicing, the celebration of Christmas encourages caring and sharing as well as peace and good will to all.

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Encourage sensible drinking this holiday season. Cranberry Orange Sparkle (left) gets its kick from brandy extract. Juniper berries give the Grapefruit Sipper (right) added flavor.

Electronic Stockings Stuffers For Last Minute Shoppers

In a bind for last-minute stocking stuffers this holiday? The world of electronics offers great possibilities for every taste, need, and budget.

For the music lover, the possibilities are endless. For example, a package of blank audio tapes is certain to be a welcome gift - and one that is certain to be used. Or perhaps a new set of high-quality, lightweight headphones for the owner of a portable stereo. Today's headphones offer surprising sound reproduction and are affordably priced for virtually any budget.

For those with a more active lifestyle, consider a personal stereo as a gift. Personal stereos are now available in a dazzling array of models with an even more dazzling array of features. Today's holiday shoppers can choose from FM stereo radios that are built into jogging headbands, pocket models with graphic equalizers and Dolby sound reduction, and models in rugged water-resistant cases.

For the audiophile, you may wish to consider a record cleaning kit. Perhaps a cassette player head cleaning kit will fill that holiday gift-giving requirement. That special music buff might also love a cassette rewinder, a new

storage case for tapes, a turntable mat, or a turntable insulator.

For the VCR owner, a stocking stuffed with blank video tapes is a great idea. What could be a better gift for the movie buff than a prerecorded cassette? With thousands of titles available in prices ranging from \$9.95 to \$79.95, there is certain to be the right movie at the right price. Or, if you find the choice of titles perplexing, how about a club membership at your neighborhood video rental shop? Other suggestions to consider are tape rewinders, erasers, head cleaning kits, and storage boxes.

For the hobbyist, how about a stocking stuffed with accessories, such as alligator clips, splicing tape, adaptor plugs, or even coaxial cable?

For another suggestion, consider this: How many times have you looked around the house for a calculator and were unable to find one? You probably know how invaluable calculators are... and how much they are appreciated. With prices beginning under \$10, they make ideal gifts for just about everyone on your list - executives, homemakers, and students.

Whatever your last-minute shopping needs, the world of consumer electronics offers you exciting possibilities.

Drink Light This Holiday Season

Sensible drinking is the watchword this holiday season so be an angel and serve guests drinks spiked with ingredients rich in flavor, not alcohol.

Drinks with little or no alcohol don't have to be humdrum. Use your imagination to make them taste good and look festive. Experiment with fruit juice combinations - cranberry and grapefruit, orange and pineapple, or mix all four. Add herbs, spices and seasonings. Flavorings and extracts will give taste without the kick of alcohol. Use garnishes like thick fruit wedges, twisted fruit rinds, vegetable curls or sugared cranberries on skewers.

Grapefruit Sipper

- 2 1/2 cups Ocean Spray Cranberry Juice cocktail
- 1/2 cup Ocean Spray Grapefruit Juice
- 10 juniper berries
- 1/2 cup water

In a large pitcher, combine cranberry and grapefruit juice. Set aside. In a small saucepan, combine juniper berries and 1/2 cup water. Simmer for 15 minutes in covered saucepan. Strain. Add liquid to cranberry and grapefruit juice mixture. Stir well and serve over ice. Serves 4.

Cranberry Orange Sparkle

- 2 cups Ocean Spray Cranberry Juice Cocktail
- 1 1/2 cups orange juice
- 1 teaspoon brandy flavoring

Combine all ingredients and serve over ice. Serves 4.

Heap on more wood! --the wind is chill;
But let it whistle as it will,
We'll keep our Christmas merry still.

--Sir Walter Scott

New Holiday Styles Feature "Light" Food And Drink

Nothing is as warming to the spirit as the perennial charm of the Christmas holidays, a time when we look forward to the special joys of family reunions and celebrations with friends. Christmas highlights all that is traditional of the American scene - decorated tree, wrapped presents, and crackling hearth. Some longstanding traditions are slowly changing, however, and foremost among these is the Yuletide "groaning board." A modern lifestyle now suggests that we savor holiday food and drink - not succumb to it. Disappearing, dish by dish, are redundant items like three kinds of potatoes and four kinds of pie. At contemporary Christmas buffets, the turkey is now surrounded by steamed green vegetables, lighter sauces and fruit compotes.

Similarly, there has been a revolution in our choice of spirits. Americans are drinking less, but drinking better, and the new viewpoint can be summed up in one word: light. At holiday time, as at other times of the year, modern Americans who prefer a natural, flavorful, low-calorie drink are choosing Scotch. A one and a half ounce serving of Scotch (with or without water) contains only 104 calories, compared to a five-ounce glass of table wine, which has 120 calories, or a 12-ounce glass of beer, which has 130-140 calories.

In an era of additives, Scotch is also legendary for its purity. Made only from clear Scottish water, cereal and yeast, Scotch whisky has become the world's most popular mixed drink because its innumerable fans know they can depend on its superb quality. According to The Scotch Whisky Information Center, blended Scotchies can contain as

many as 50 single malts, making up the rainbow of authoritative flavors which enable the spirit to stand up to today's more adventurous foods. Single malt Scotchies, which are exploding in popularity in the U.S., have distinctive characters ranging in taste from smoky to peaty. These are often sipped as after-dinner drinks, instead of brandy.

The Christmas punch is a festive seasonal drink which has benefited from a new light approach. The heavy eggnog version of years past has been replaced by a new classic punch which is low in calories, but rich

with traditional Yuletide flavor. Simple to make, it's created by combining 1/2 cup sugar, 2 cups water, 4 sliced lemons, 2 sliced oranges, 6 whole cloves and 2 cinnamon sticks in a medium saucepan. Bring this mixture to boil; stir to blend; cover pan; and let stand at least 2 hours. Then strain the spicefruit mixture into a punch bowl, and add 4 cups of strong tea which has been cooled to room temperature, 1 1/2 cups of orange juice, 1 cup Scotch whisky, and 1 bottle (28 ounces) of club soda. Add plenty of ice cubes, and float lemon wedges on top. Serves 12 people.

Choosing a safe toy

The Americans for Democratic Action (ADA) has been rating the safety of children's toys for the past 17 years. The ADA, in a joint effort with the U.S. Customs Service, seized 891,000 toys between Oct. 1, 1967 and Sept. 30, 1988. Some of the toys they have deemed as unsafe are listed below.

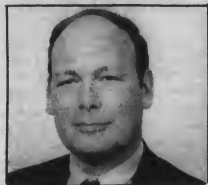
AMERICANS FOR DEMOCRATIC ACTION TOY RATINGS

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Christmases Past And Present



Wynne



Webb



Gray

Wynne

Chesapeake's Mayor David I. Wynne remembers happy Christmases spent at his aunt's home in Ghent.

"I guess the best one was when I was about seven. My family and my aunt's family would have Christmases together. It was some real good family time. My aunt had two sons, and we had three children in our family. I just remember it being real fun," Wynne said.

Wynne, of course, wishes many things for his city, but one of the priorities on his list would be for more help with low income housing.

"I wish we could get more federal help for housing, low-income housing," Wynne said.

Webb

"My fondest Christmas memory was when I was in a Sunday school play in elementary school, and I came home to a big dinner with my aunts and uncles and the whole family," said Portsmouth Mayor Gloria O. Webb.

Webb said that she wished the citizens would take pride in the city of Portsmouth and work together to make it a reality.

Gray

"They get better every year," said Vice Mayor J. Robert Gray about Christmas. "My fondest Christmas memory was when my two-year-old son realized what Christmas was all about."

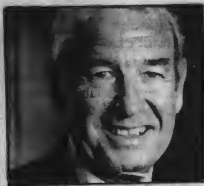
Gray said that he enjoyed Christmas because he experienced the "things that my parents and grandparents experienced when I was a child."

For the city of Portsmouth, Gray would like the citizens to "understand each other better and not try to force their own agendas."

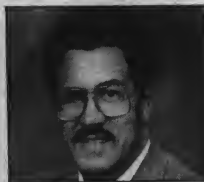
special to him when he can spend it with his entire family and "think about the joy of the entire season."

"Gift giving is a joy," he said. Fentress said Christmas is a season of love and he wishes it would continue throughout the year.

"My wish for the citizens of Virginia Beach is prosperity in the New Year and that people will learn to consider one another as themselves."



Fentress



Ward

Ward

Chesapeake Vice Mayor William Ward wishes happiness and peace for Christmas this year.

"I wish there would be good will and peace on Earth," Ward said.

His fondest memory is of a Christmas years ago when he received his first bicycle.

"I was probably five- or six-years-old," he says. "I got my very first bicycle. That is probably the best memory."



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Fentress said Christmas is

Families Make Christmas Special

Creekmore Has Wishes Of Peace

Chesapeake's General Assembly Delegate Thomas Forehand enjoys Christmas through the eyes of his children, Lindsey and Walker.

"Seeing them both come down on Christmas morning, both of them believing in Santa Claus, and seeing all those presents, that is just one of the most memorable things for me."

Forehand, who is up for reelection in the spring said his wish for himself was to have a productive year in the general assembly and a successful campaign for re-election.

For the city of Chesapeake Forehand wishes them harmony.

"I wish for political harmony, particularly with factions on our city council."



As a child, Virginia Beach City Councilwoman Reba McClanahan loved spending Christmas at home with her whole family. Today, the tradition still holds.

McClanahan said all the children gather together and go to Christmas eve services. She said the best part of Christmas is being with relatives.

"Those are the best memories," she said.

As a personal wish to the community, McClanahan said, "I'd like good health, peace and happiness in all their homes and lives."

She also hopes that city council will do the best job they can to make this city the best it can be.



Chesapeake General Assembly Delegate Fredrick Creekmore said he remembers nights in bed, with his brother in the same room when they imagined hearing all sorts of Christmas noises on the roof.

"As a child, laying in bed on Christmas eve, my brother and I would imagine hooves on the roof. It's funny what children can imagine they hear," Creekmore said. "Then the next day we got bicycles. That was really neat."

Creekmore would wish peace and tranquility for the new year.

"I wish that people could learn to work together as a team to meet the challenges of the community," he said. "And I wish everyone harmony in the new year."



Creekmore

The Forehands



Chesapeake's Director of Library Services, Peggy Forehand, remembers getting her stocking as a kid as one of the best parts of Christmas.

"Having the stocking on Christmas morning was always a great memory. There was always fruit and nuts, and when I was a kid it was a big deal to get fruit and nuts. Now if I put that in my kids stockings they die!" Forehand said.

For Christmas this year Forehand wishes for only one thing, snow.

"I wish it would snow for Christmas!" she said.

The McClanans



"The Christmas I got my first pony," Glenn McClanahan, a Virginia Beach General Assembly Delegate said of his fondest Christmas memory.

Because his parents weren't very well off, he said, the sheriff at the time sold them a pony at a discounted price. That Christmas, the 10-year-old McClanahan received a gift he will never forget.

McClanahan strongly stresses the importance of improving the family structure and appreciating the true love of the family.

He said Christmas is "a time for us to recognize that significant truth and go forth on strengthening that structure."

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Council Members Have Fond Christmas Memories



Markham

Chesapeake Councilman Gary Markham has one Christmas that really stands out in his memory because of the gift he received that year.

"My family was always very poor, we didn't have much. When I was about 8-years-old I got a Red Rider 88 gun for Christmas. That was a big deal. We all got very little anyway, but that was my first big gift," Markham remembers. "My father was a hunter before me, and that was my first gun. So I could be a hunter after him."

Nowadays, Markham remembers his childhood through his children and grandchildren.

"I enjoy my grandchildren now, and it brings back those old memories," he explains. "Usually we manage to get together some time over Christmas, and that's real nice."

Markham wished all the people of Chesapeake a nice, warm and peaceful holiday season.

"Peace. That's the best thing I could wish for," he said.



Baum

Virginia Beach Councilman John Baum said he can remember growing up during the Depression and not receiving many gifts for Christmas. Now, he enjoys

seeing his three grandchildren at Christmas time.

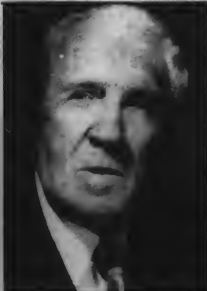
Baum said, "I wish people would not always listen to others. Too often people think according to the group they belong to." Baum would like to share his "golden rule" with the community.



Sessoms

Virginia Beach Councilman William Sessoms can remember the joy he felt when his first child was old enough to experience Christmas. He said it was "really neat" to see her enthusiasm.

His message to the community this Christmas season is, "I wish all the citizens a very merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year and I hope we can all work together to make Virginia Beach a better place to live."



Simpson

Councilman J. Herbert Simpson remembers working during his teenage years to earn enough money to buy a bicycle which was, back then, "the Cadillac of the day." "My dad matched the funds that I couldn't come up with," added Simpson.

Simpson hopes that the city can do something to "dispel the drug problem in Portsmouth."



Bazemore

Chesapeake Councilwoman Willa Bazemore would like for there to be peace on Earth for Christmas and a cure for many of the illnesses in the world.

"I think devastating illnesses need to be cured. I would wish for cures," she explains.

For herself, Bazemore said she would like money.

"If I could get a lot of money, tax free, that would be real nice!"



Lucas

Councilwoman L. Louise Lucas said that "all of my Christmases have been wonderful." She added that none of her Christmases were bad and that she had forty-four good Christmases.

"My wish for the city is peace, joy and happiness," said Lucas.



Davenport

Chesapeake Councilwoman Norma Davenport thinks of every day as Christmas.

"I've always been a very lucky person. I have Christmas everyday. I am happy everyday that I am healthy," she said.

Her fondest Christmases are the ones of her youth spent with her father, mother and grandparents.

"My fondest Christmases were when my daddy was living. When I was able to spend my time with him and my grandparents. I remember my mother always having lots of nuts and cookies for us and decorating the house," Davenport said.

For her wishes this Christmas, Davenport wants everyone to have a prosperous and happy Christmas and new year.

"I wish my friends, family and myself to have health and happiness."



Corpew

"My fondest Christmas memory was when I woke up as a child and

realized that there wasn't a Santa Claus," said Councilman E.G. Corpew, Jr.

Corpew's Christmas wish is that Portsmouth residents have "more love for each other."



Balko

Virginia Beach City Councilman Albert Balko said he can't recall just one fond Christmas memory.

"They were all good," he said. Because he came from an impoverished background, Balko said it is always good to get together with family and friends as much as possible during the Christmas season.

This year, in addition to the rest of his community Christmas list, Balko said, "I'd like to have better roads, schools, water and a better quality of life without tax increases. That's what I wish for. I'm asking Santa for a big load!"

GREETINGS

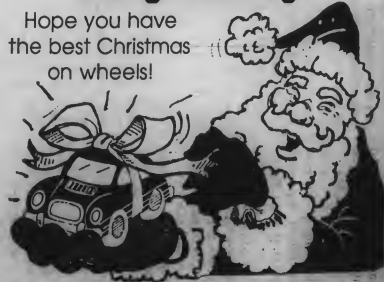
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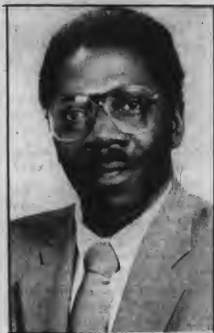
Maurice Ward Remembers Christmas In Suffolk

Chesapeake Post columnist, Maurice Ward said he remembers days as a boy in Huntersville in Suffolk.

"Most of the families there were either poor or average. For me, the happiest memory was seeing the poorest children smiling on Christmas day," Ward said. He added that it did not matter to the children whether there were presents or not, but just that it was Christmas.

For the city, Ward wished a continuation of the good things that are already happening.

"I wish the community will continue to keep an open mind and maintain the educational system, the libraries and roads and water," he explained.



Ward

Perry Has Memories Of Trains

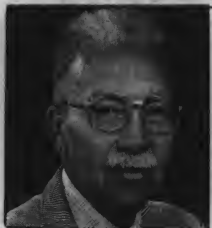
Virginia Beach Councilman John Perry's most remembered Christmas was "when I got my first train."

As a ten-year-old Perry carried newspapers for one year to save money to buy the wind-up train. Perry kept that train for years until his nephews were old enough to play with it.

"It's still a memory," Perry said.

Perry also recalls spending his first Christmas with his wife during the Depression. He remembers the grateful feeling he had when people brought by food for them to eat.

Perry's one Christmas message is "treat everybody like you want



Perry

to be treated and love everybody and you'll be loved." He said if the community would live by these words, we'd have peace.

Youell Feels The Christmas Spirit Of Love

To Lillian Youell, Virginia Beach Constitution Celebration Commission Consultant, the most important aspect of Christmas is being together with family.

She fondly remembered back 21 years, to when her family was stationed in the Philippines. Because of the difficulty in moving overseas, many of Youell's household goods had not arrived yet, including a box of sentimental Christmas ornaments.

"As it got closer to Christmas I got a little tearful," Youell said.

Depressed because she had no Christmas decorations, Youell's husband livened her spirits by suggesting the family spend Christmas in Japan. Once there, the Youells and their

children found a tree branch and decorated it with tiny Japanese lanterns and spent a special holiday together in a hotel room.

Another fond Christmas memory for Youell was, as a child, going out into the woods with her siblings to cut down a Christmas tree.

"All four children would bundle up on Christmas Eve and try to find the perfect tree," she said.

Without fail, Youell's father would always spot the perfect cedar tree in the woods, only because he had seen it previously on a hunting trip. He knew it was there all along!

Youell has one personal wish she'd like to share with the community this holiday season.

"I hope everyone in the community will carry the



Youell

Christmas spirit of love and brotherhood throughout the year and not just limit it to the Christmas season."

Stein's Childhood Memories Carried On

Chesapeake Post columnist Phyllis Stein has fond memories of Christmas in her childhood that she carried on with her own children, and they, in turn, carried on with theirs.

"I came from a large family and every Christmas eve we always got new flannel pajamas," Stein said. "We piled into bed and my oldest sister would tell Christmas stories until we all fell asleep."

"My sisters and I would try to see who would be the first one up, and the first to deliver the

good news that Santa had come to our house. I must have been the sleepest of them all, because I only got to deliver the news one time. I was eight-years-old and I was the first to discover Santa had visited our house."

Phyllis says this tradition has carried on to her grandchildren, who still get new flannel pajamas on Christmas eve.

Christmas eve is still Steins' favorite part of the holiday season.

For her Christmas wish this year, Stein says she just wants to



Stein

get everything done in time.

"My wish would be that I can finish all the projects I've got started!"

Choose Child's Pet With Care

Children are naturally attracted to animals, and during the holidays, they'll eagerly welcome the pet that was chosen just for them - provided of course, the pet was wisely and carefully selected.

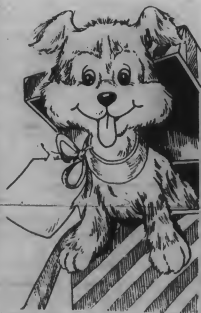
This Christmas may be just the right time to introduce your child to the pet he's always wanted. The Pet Information Bureau suggests following a simple guideline when selecting the new "family member."

Generally, children should not be expected to handle the responsibility of caring for pets until they can begin doing things for themselves. Small, easily-cared-for rodents are ideal for youngsters between the ages of four and six. Hamsters, gerbils, guinea pigs, mice and white rats can be housed in relatively small cages, handled with ease, and make responsive, amusing pets. A parent can determine from the

introduction and reaction of their child to the world of animals, whether or not it's wise to bring other types of pets into the household.

By the age of six, kids can be expected to handle some of the responsibilities involved in owning a puppy or kitten. As long as parents guide and teach them about caring for their new pet, children will know and understand the joys and rewards of ownership. Six-year-olds are also ready to accept those responsibilities that go hand in hand with the many hours they'll spend playing with their new pets. By the time a child reaches the age of eight or nine, a parent can feel confident about introducing him to some member of the bird family. Although canaries and parakeets are fairly hardy, birds in general are more delicate than other types of pets and require careful, gentle

handling. Many children enjoy teaching their birds to talk and to do tricks. Since an eight-year-old's attention span is usually longer, he is somewhat more pa-



Raymond Jones Spent His Christmas In South Norfolk

Chesapeake Schools Public Information coordinator, and Post columnist, Raymond Jones remembers happy days at his grandmothers house in the South Norfolk section of the city.

"Eating Christmas dinner at my grandmother's house, with the heavily seasoned collard greens and ham and turkey was great. Nobody ever made it quite like my grandma!" he explained.

This year for Christmas Jones

would like to have a couple of scuba shirts from one of the surf shops. "Not too much to ask," he says.

Jones says he is happy this Christmas as the progress made internationally with regard to peace between the U.S. and the U.S.S.R.

"I would wish for stabilization of the world so we have the assurance that there will be another Christmas."

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Recipes

Old World Upside Down Ham Loaf

- 3 cups ground ham
- 1/2 pound ground beef
- 1/2 cup fine dry bread crumbs
- 1/4 cup chopped onion
- 2 eggs, slightly beaten
- 1/2 cup milk
- 1 tablespoon butter or margarine
- 1/2 cup firmly packed light brown sugar
- 1/8 teaspoon ground cloves
- 1/8 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 2 apples, pared and sliced
- 6 maraschino cherries
- 2 tablespoons raisins

In bowl, lightly toss together ham, beef, bread crumbs, celery, onion, eggs and milk.

Melt butter in bottom of 9 x 5 x 3-inch loaf pan. Combine brown sugar, cloves and cinnamon. Sprinkle into bottom of pan. Arrange apples cherries and raisins on sugar. Press in ham mixture.

Bake at 350° F. for 1 hour 15 minutes or until done. Remove from oven and let stand 5 minutes. Pour off excess liquid. Invert pan onto serving platter. Let stand several seconds and remove pan.

Makes 6 servings.

Polska Apple Glaze

- 1 cup applesauce
- 1/4 cup light brown sugar
- 1 teaspoon prepared mustard

Combine all ingredients. Spread over ham for the last 30 minutes of baking.

Clam Chowder

- 1 pint clams
- 1/4 cup chopped onion
- 1/4 cup chopped bacon
- 1 cup clam liquor and water
- 1 cup diced potatoes
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- Dash pepper
- 2 cups milk
- Parsley

Drain clams and save liquor. Chop. Fry bacon until lightly browned. Add onion and cook until tender. Add liquor, potatoes, seasonings and clams. Cook about 15 minutes or until potatoes are tender. Add milk; heat. Garnish with chopped parsley sprinkled over the top. Serves 6.

Vanilla Cookie Ornaments

Makes about 5 dozen 3-inch cookies.

- 4 cups sifted all-purpose flour
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup (2 sticks) butter or margarine
- 2 cups sifted 10X (confectioners' sugar)
- 2 eggs
- 1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla

1. Sift flour, baking powder and salt onto wax paper.

2. Beat butter with sugar until light and fluffy in a large bowl with electric mixer. Beat in eggs and vanilla. Stir in flour mixture, 1/3 at a time, with a spoon, blending well to make a stiff dough. Wrap dough in plastic wrap; chill overnight.

3. Divide dough into 4 pieces; roll one piece between two sheets of wax paper to 1/8-inch thickness, lifting top sheet often to dust with flour and turning dough over for even rolling.

4. Peel off top paper; invert dough into cookie sheet; peel off paper. Cut into ornament shapes with floured cookie cutters or cut around your own cardboard pattern with a sharp knife, leaving 1/2-inch between each cookie for spreading. Carefully lift off dough around cut cookies; save trimmings and rereoll all at one time. Make a hole in each cookie with a drinking straw.

5. Bake in a moderate oven (350°) for 8 to 10 minutes or until firm and light brown on edges. Remove from cookie sheets to wire racks with wide spatula; cool completely. Store in airtight container until decorated.

6. Decorate the cookies; let them dry completely before hanging with ribbons.

England was merry England,
when
Old Christmas brought his sports
again.
'Twas Christmas broach'd the
mightiest ale;
'Twas Christmas told the merriest

tale;
A Christmas gambol oft could
cheer
The poor man's heart through
half the year.

--Sir Walter Scott

'Tis the season for kindling the
fire of hospitality in the hall, the
genial fire of charity in the heart.
--Washington Irving

Heap on more wood! --the wind
is chill;
But let it whistle as it will,
We'll keep out Christmas merry
still.

--Sir Walter Scott

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reality great, if it be given with
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Celebrate Christmas With Birds

Why not celebrate Christmas this year with birds? Invite those fine-feathered backyard neighbors to a feast among your trees, and serve them a wide assortment of goodies they'll be sure to peck about.

Make food holders from cut-up milk cartons and hollowed-out oranges and hang them up with string. Let them with a smorgasbord of birdseed, bread crumbs,

chopped nuts, cranberries and sunflower seeds. For a special treat, coat pine cones with peanut butter and roll them in a tasty mixture of seeds and nuts.

Garlands of popcorn and marshmallows are not only decorative, but a tantalizing delight for the birds as well. String up a few yards, then listen to the chorus of birds chirp Christmas carols during their holiday feast.

Inexpensive Ways To Entertain Guests

It isn't necessary to go to great expense or trouble to create a genuine and lavish holiday atmosphere in your home. Mr. David Sandeman, expert entertainer and Chairman of House of Sandeman - one of the oldest producers and shippers of fine Port and Sherry Wines - reveals inexpensive and simple holiday ideas that insure a perfect spontaneous holiday celebration.

Make guests feel welcome and instill Christmas spirit into you and your family by decorating the house with colorful holiday ornaments. Invest in tall, tapered, red and white candles; use glass candleholders and place on tables, mantelpieces and bookshelves. Fill a glass bowl with an assortment of balls to add beautiful holiday sparkle. But red and green ribbon to tie bows around plants and decorate through the staircase bannister. Buy a poinsettia, holly and mistletoe to spread holiday cheer throughout the house. To make sure that the Christmas scents and sounds fill your home, simmer a cinnamon potpourri on the stove and play "White Christmas" on the stereo.

After you have set the right atmosphere, the other important holiday aspect is food and drink. Mr. Sandeman suggests keeping a variety of cheese in your refrigerator for unexpected guests. "Offer your guests fruitcake; it stays fresh for a long time and is the essence of the holiday season," says Sandeman.

For drink, have available a medium dry sherry, for company to sip with cheese and crackers. Stock your bar with Founders

Reserve Port wine to warm guests on a frosty winter night. To showcase the food and wine, Sandeman suggests arranging all on a silver of lacquer tray decorated with festive ribbon and ornaments, and crystal wine glasses.

Setting a holiday mood and having delicious and festive food and drink on hand will make any planned or spontaneous holiday celebration an instant success.



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Live Evergreens Ecologically Sound Start An Aquarium During The Holidays

Forestry experts point out that trees are renewable. And, since almost all Christmas trees are specifically grown for holiday use on scientifically-managed "tree farms," their use doesn't deplete the forest.

The tree farms, in fact, offer environmental side-benefits. Christmas trees flourish on thin soil that is generally unsuitable for other "crops." This means land that might otherwise lie fallow is productively used and es-

thetically improved. Foresters say that Christmas tree stands also help to stabilize the soil and provide browse and habitat for wildlife and small game.

This Christmas is an opportune time to do something special for yourself and your family. Scientific research has shown that watching fish swim can actually reduce blood pressure. So, it's no wonder that more and more Americans have become interested in fish-keeping.

Once you begin experimenting with fish-keeping, you'll soon discover how easy and enjoyable a hobby it is. To determine whether freshwater or saltwater aquariums will best suit your tastes, the Pet Information Bureau offers a few suggestions that can make the choice easier.

The novice aquarist should keep in mind that although freshwater aquariums may involve less upkeep than saltwater, there are many procedures they both share.

For example, fish are diurnal and require light to see. In fact, they need about 12 hours of light a day. Artificial lights will do the job, although northern exposure for an aquarium without artificial

light will do just as well.

Also, both types of aquariums require some form of water-conditioning, including filtration, aeration and balancing of the pH. The rule of thumb that fish should be fed no more than once a day, and then no more "than they can eat in 12 to 20 minutes" can be applied to fresh and salt-water fish.

Among the differences in upkeep, freshwater aquariums should be kept at a suitable temperature between 74° and 78°F. As the water temperature rises, less oxygen becomes available to the fish. Conditioning the water in these tanks simply involves letting tap water stand for a week or so in an open glass container to allow fine organic matter to settle out, parasites to die, and bacteria a chance to "balance" themselves out. A pH of 6.8 seems to be the best average for freshwater aquariums. A variety of plants and colorful gravel will decorate this tank nicely.

REJOICE

May you find peace in the light of His love.



I would like to take this time to wish my friends, old and new, a very joyous Christmas!

Thanks for your many kindnesses.

May you have a healthy and prosperous New Year!

Nora W. Davenport

Laura S. Plunk From the staff
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Greg Garfield
Karen Dalrymple
Connie B. Meag
Andrea L. Cameron
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21 AIDS Cases Diagnosed In VB; Conference Slated

By Karen Dalrymple
Staff Writer

Planned Parenthood of Southeastern Virginia, Inc. and Virginia Wesleyan College will sponsor an AIDS conference Thursday, Jan. 19 to assist people in looking at AIDS from a religious perspective.

The conference will also help people within the church setting to find ways to assist AIDS patients, according to Jayne Rodgers, Planned Parenthood's community educator.

"It's a difficult issue for some people in some churches," she said. "We hope churches will find ways to deal with the people."

The conference, which is open to the public, is also being held to inform the community of the disease's continuing rate of increase. This year alone, 21 AIDS cases have been diagnosed in Virginia Beach. Since the first case in 1983, there has been 42 diagnosed cases, not including the hundreds of people tested as HIV positive.

The conference, which is open to the public, is also being held to inform the community of the disease's continuing rate of increase.

"You can see how it's progressing," she said.

Rodgers added that the number of AIDS cases is estimated to double by next year. She said that of the total 42 cases, 59.9% of them have died.

Rodgers said that Planned Parenthood has not dealt with an AIDS patient yet, but any number of its patients could be HIV positive. HIV positive patients usually show no symptoms, although they have been infected with the AIDS virus. She said it is unknown why some patients don't become ill from the disease.

"It could be up to 10 years now before someone gets sick," Rodgers said.

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Virginia Beach Mayor Meyera E. Oberndorf presents a proclamation recognizing December 11 - 18 as National Drunk and Drugged Driving Awareness Week to Lillian DeVenny, state president of Virginians Opposing Drunk Driving, and Oscar Merino, VODD activities coordinator for the Virginia Beach/Norfolk area.

Mayor Recognizes National Drunk And Drugged Driving Awareness

The focus of the awareness week was on the designated driver as a reasonable solution to problems relating to driving while under the influence of drugs or alcohol.

City Officials Impressed By San Diego's Light Rail Transit System

By Karen Dalrymple
Staff Writer

Along with Tidewater Regional Transit representatives, Mayor Meyera Oberndorf, City Manager Aubrey Watts, Vice Mayor Robert E. Fentress and Councilwoman Barbara Henley recently visited San Diego, Calif. to observe its light rail transit, a transportation system similar to the one proposed for Virginia Beach and Norfolk.

"Their rail is a very noted success," said Oberndorf.

"I think we saw a system that has a good ridership and great potential," Henley added.

The city officials met with San Diego's officials and had the chance to ride on the light rail transit. Oberndorf said the train ride was very shaky and that she was "looking at it with cautious optimism."

Fentress said, "I was very impressed with it after seeing the numbers and economics of it, but when I left I still had some questions about it."

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Virginia Beach and Norfolk city councils are expected to meet in February to discuss the \$102 million transportation system. The rail system, which would stretch 17.7 miles from the Pavilion Convention Center to downtown Norfolk, would serve as an alternative to automobiles and the heavily traveled Virginia Beach-Norfolk expressway and I-264.

"We know our road system is going to continue to get crowded. There's no way we can prevent it," Fentress said.

The system would have 13 stops along the existing Norfolk Southern rail line, which would be upgraded and rehabilitated, according to Jayne Whitney, planning engineer for the system. She added that

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Residents Want CIP Eliminated

By Lee Cahill
City Council Reporter

The CIP was approved by a vote of 9-2 with Councilwoman Barbara Henley and John L. Perry dissenting. Perry dissented on all seven items related to the CIP on second reading.

Henley and Mayor Meyera Oberndorf also voted against the ordinance establishing the 92.2 cents tax levy which includes the additional .7 cent tax for parks and land. Councilwoman Reba McClanahan and Nancy Parker also voted against issuing \$8 million in road highway and bridge bonds authorized by the General Assembly for a total of \$64 million.

Residents of areas that will be most greatly impacted by the re-alignment of Centerville Turnpike bombarded city council with pleas to eliminate the road improvement from the city's Capital Improvement Program (CIP).

Council, however, on second reading adopted the five-year plan and appropriated \$310,668,574 for the first year budget, including the Centerville Road project.

The \$8,797,336 project calls for a new alignment from Indian River Road through the Christian Broadcasting Network property and along

the existing alignment to Kempsville Road.

John Herzke, traffic engineer, explained to citizens that the city was still considering four options and that they would still have a voice at design hearings later.

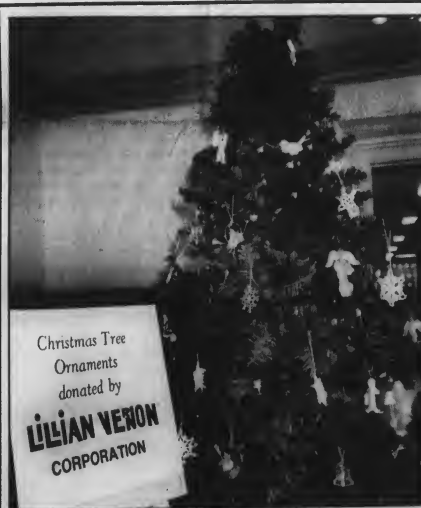
Residents asked that the city wait until the state makes a decision on providing another access to I-64 from Centerville Turnpike.

Tom Curran, of 1401 Lake James Drive, president of the Lake James Civic Association, said that it would be better to wait.

Gary Nelson, of Belvoir Lane, representing the Indian Lakes Homeowners Association, said that the 1100 residents are opposed to the relocation of Centerville Turnpike because it will encourage more traffic in the corridor. He said the greatest benefit would be as a shortcut for resident of Chesapeake. The majority of the people using that stretch of road to CBN would be from Chesapeake, he said.

John Woodhouse said that Lake James would lose the woods, and the park, which are privately owned and maintained, would attract outsiders.

Craig Langman, of 1117 Belvoir Lane, did not think the city should spend \$9 million for citizens from Chesapeake.



A decorated Christmas tree at City Hall.

Lillian Vernon Corporation Decorates City Hall Tree

Crocheted snowflakes, silver bells, ceramic St. Nicks, and sequined bows, donated by the Lillian Vernon Corporation, graced the yuletide tree in the lobby of City Hall during the holiday season.

Foster Families Provide Better Lives For Unfortunate Children

By Karen Dalrymple
Staff Writer

Connections, a non-profit licensed child placing agency, is seeking foster families and volunteers for Vietnamese and Amerasian children arriving from Vietnam, without their families.

There are presently 38 children placed with 17 families in Virginia Beach, according to Connie Van Bourgondien, the agency's outreach coordinator. She said, "we average about one or two kids a month," but this month the agency received three kids in two days.

The Vietnamese and Amerasian children come directly from Vietnam. The Vietnamese government allows the Amerasians, whose fathers are American and mothers are Vietnamese, to come to the United States. The Vietnamese children escape illegally out of Vietnam to South Asia refugee camps, Van Bourgondien said.

"They have to be accepted as refugees," she said.

Once the kids are accepted for resettlement in the United States, half of them are approved to go to the Lutheran volunteer organizations, the other half go to Catholic Charities, an organization of which

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Connections is a component.

Van Bourgondien said, usually the children are sent to the United States by their families to have a "better life." They come here as "anchor relatives" and once they're settled in, many of them send for their families.

"Our kids are teenagers. It's really rare to get a young child," she said.

In some cases, the foster families are ready and waiting to take in a child. In order to qualify as a foster parent, one must fill out applications, provide references, interview at least three times with a social worker and attend training sessions.

Some families do short-term care and some take more than one child. "A lot of our families do double duty," Van Bourgondien said.

Van Bourgondien added that children usually come in groups with siblings.

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Personality Profile

Lydia Laughlin Is NAS Supervisor Of The Quarter

By Annette Hall
Special To The Star

"All I do, really, is my job. I try to see to it that people who work for me are looked after. I believe that if I look after them, they will look after me and do their job properly," says Aviation Electronics Technician First Class (AT1) Lydia Laughlin, a supervisor in the avionics division of the Naval Air Station (NAS) Oceana Aircraft Intermediate Maintenance Department. Her approach to supervision won her the NAS Oceana Supervisor of the Quarter award.

A ten-year Navy veteran, Laughlin hails from River Falls, Wis. A lack of funds to continue her college education brought Laughlin to the Navy. "I didn't want to work in a factory at home. I knew I needed

"I make sure that personnel are performing their jobs safely, using the right procedures and documenting procedures are being done properly."

marketable skills. I wanted to get into some sort of apprenticeship where I could be paid while I learned. Of all the choices I had, the Navy looked the best," says Laughlin of her decision.

Fate played a role in her choice of electronics. "I've never been through any Navy 'A' schools. My training was on the job, but I had some very good teachers at my first command — some very smart people who knew their electronics and helped me through it," says Laughlin.

Although she learned electronics basics from on-the-job training,

Laughlin has attended schools pertaining to various aircraft systems. It was at a school in Jacksonville, Fla. that she met her husband, Robert. They began their marriage during a three-year tour in Rota, Spain.

Working as a quality assurance representative, Laughlin's responsibility extends to various workcenters. "I make sure that personnel are performing their jobs safely, using the right procedures and documenting procedures are being done properly," says Laughlin of her duties. She is also responsible for reports to manufacturers requiring correc-

tive measures when their equipment is not up to Navy standards.

Laughlin, 33, says she and her husband are "committed to our marriage," so much of her off time centers around their home and two dogs. "They are very important to us and giving them attention takes time," she noted. Laughlin also enjoys reading in her spare time.

As Supervisor of the Quarter, Laughlin receives two \$50 U.S. Savings Bonds, a complimentary room for two at the Lynnhaven Lodge, dinner for two on the New Spirit, two tickets to Busch Gardens, a luncheon at the Voyager Club with NAS Oceana Commanding Officer Captain Michael N. Matton, a letter of commendation and a station plaque.



Lydia Laughlin

Register Cars For Two Years Instead Of One

Once a year we all make the trek to DMV to register our cars for another year. This year, DMV decided to give car owners a year off from renewing their vehicles.

Beginning Jan. 1, Virginia Beach residents will be offered the option of registering their vehicle with the Department of Motor Vehicles for two years instead of one.

The program will make the branch office operations more efficient and reduce postage costs for the agency.

To renew for two years, a customer should fill out the registration application, mark the appropriate box for two-year registration and pay the indicated fee. For example, if the customer pays \$25 for one year, the fee for two years will be \$50. If a customer pays \$30 for one year, the two year fee is \$60.

The new registration card and decals will indicate that the registration will expire two years from the date issued.

Most vehicles are eligible for the two year option. However, exceptions include those vehicles whose owners have paid the uninsured motor vehicle fee, those subject to Federal Heavy Vehicle Use Tax and vehicles registered under the International Registration Plan.

To inform residents of the new option, DMV is conducting an information campaign to provide us with more information about the program. The theme of the campaign is "Renew for Two. Don't Make Registration an Annual Event." -K.L.D.

House Hunters Should Inspect Before Buying

With development increasing in Virginia Beach, there are more and more homes on the market. Many people are buying and selling and it's easy to get caught up in the fast paced world of real estate.

Usually, after you've looked at a dozen or more houses they all start to look alike. House hunters should take along a checklist of what they want and need in their next home to ensure that your once-in-a-lifetime dream house doesn't cause you nightmares.

✓Start outside. Never rely on daylight inspection. Be sure the entrances to your home are well-lit and all doors and windows lock.

✓Walk the grounds. Removing dead trees and shrubs can be expensive so pay attention to trees near the house.

✓Scrutinize the structure from top to bottom. Paint should be smooth and storm windows and screens are a necessity.

✓Basements are a good indicators as to the quality of the house. The water heater, furnace and fuse box should be clean, well insulated and in working order.

✓Flush the toilets, switch on showers and turn on all faucets for water pressure.

✓Inspect the insulation in the attic and crawl space. Make sure all exterior doors and windows are airtight.

Remember, it's a lot easier and cheaper to inspect a house before you purchase it, instead of repairing it later on. -K.L.D.

Light Rail Transit Should Have Happened Sooner

It never fails. At some point, either coming or going to work, we are held up in traffic along the Virginia Beach-Norfolk expressway. We have the choice of leaving for work early or arriving there late. Most people opt for leaving early.

Finally, the cities of Virginia Beach and Norfolk have put their heads together and come up with an alternative to the heavy traffic. In a few months, both city councils will review the proposal for a \$102 million light rail transit system.

Not only will the light rail alleviate traffic problems, but it will also bring in more revenue for the cities, as well as reduce the need for parking. We all know how impossible it is to find parking in downtown Norfolk without paying a fortune.

Several Virginia Beach city officials recently journeyed to San Diego to see its successful light rail system. So far, most of the feedback has been positive, but a few questions are still unanswered. The way it looks now, the light rail transit will probably be approved. The only problem is that it wouldn't be completed until 1995.

It looks like we'll have to fight the traffic for another five or six years. This is an idea that should have been started years ago. -K.L.D.

Foster Families Needed For Foreign Children

There are so many children in foreign countries who don't have decent lives because of where they live. Many of these children would love to escape from their country in search of a better life, but often it is not possible.

Vietnamese and Amerasian children are among the lucky ones. Many of them are approved by their government to come to the United States and be taken in by a foster family. Connections, a non-profit Virginia Beach agency, sees to it that these children are cared for.

One would think that American families would be hesitant to take in a Vietnamese or Amerasian child who speaks no English. Often these children come with brothers and sisters and are not separated when they arrive here. There are many families waiting in line to care for and provide a better life for these less fortunate children.

After being raised by an American family, the children sometimes send for their own families. Because an American family cared enough about a Vietnamese or Amerasian child, that child will now be able to care for his family and do something with his life. -K.L.D.



"How much debt do we have on our credit cards? Enough to make me feel like a leader of a Third World country..."

Hypothermia - The Winter Killer

By Virginia Department Of Emergency Services

More people die in winter cold waves than in hurricanes, tornadoes, or any other weather phenomena. Many of these deaths can be attributed to hypothermia, an abnormally low internal body temperature cause by exposure to cold.

At greatest risk are the elderly, who probably account for nearly half of all hypothermia victims. According to the Center for Environmental Physiology, a national non-profit research organization which studies and reports on the effects of heat and cold stress, tens of thousands of older Americans literally "freeze to death" in their own homes each year.

These deaths are a result of cool indoor temperatures, not prolonged exposure out-of-doors. Therefore, older adults in the nation's sunbelt are no less vulnerable than their northern cousins, although it is less expensive to heat their homes.

Factors such as living alone, low incomes, poor diet, other illnesses, limited physical activity, and use of alcohol or certain types of prescription drugs place many older Americans at greater risk. Hypothermia can also worsen pre-existing conditions and diseases in older people. Many deaths are initiated by hypothermia although another disease is ultimately listed as the cause of death.

How It Develops

Hypothermia is cause when the body loses heat faster than it can be replaced. Normally, the body conserves its heat by narrowing blood vessels in the skin, reducing the flow of warm blood near the surface in favor of heating vital organs in the body "core." This process is a main defense against cold.

When skin blood flow is reduced, the skin becomes cool or cold. The resulting discomfort prompts people to put on more clothing or seek warmer surroundings. When warm clothing is used as an artificial barrier against the cold, the body is not forced to use its natural defense mechanism of reducing skin blood flow. Clothing is the key to comfort and survival in a cold environment.

However, many older individuals have a diminished skin sensation. They are often unaware they are even cold. If left alone, they can develop hypothermia in the course of a few days.

Symptoms

It is difficult to recognize hypothermia. Some symptoms are the same as those of other illnesses, including diabetic coma, stroke, or heart disease. Other symptoms are conditions not unusual in elderly people; for example, confusion, disorientation, or reduced mental clarity.

These become progressively worse as the body temperature falls, and the victim may not be able to reliably relate, or even be aware of, what is happening. Other signs to look for are:

- *A change in appearance or behavior during cold weather.
- *Uncontrollable shivering, or no shivering at all.
- *Stiff muscles, particularly in the neck, arms, and legs.
- *Slow and sometimes irregular heartbeat; slurred speech; shallow, very slow breathing.
- *Weak pulse, low blood pressure.
- *Cool or cold skin, particularly on the stomach, lower back, and extremities.
- *Poor coordination and problems with balance.

Treatment

Hypothermia is a serious, complicated condition requiring professional medical assistance. A hypothermic should be treated in a hospital.

If you suspect hypothermia, take the person's temperature. Take the victim directly to a hospital if it is below 95 F or 35 C. While waiting for emergency medical help to arrive, prevent further heat loss by wrapping the person in a warm blanket, making sure to cover the head and neck. Above all, stay calm and handle the person very gently.

Do not rub or massage arms, legs or feet. Do not give the person alcohol or drugs. Do not raise the legs or place a hot water bottle on the feet; and do not give hot drinks or hot food.

The person must be warmed slowly. If blankets, quilts, towels or other wrapping are not available, lie close to the person, using body heat to help keep the victim warm.

Special Report

Stick To New Year's Resolutions

By S. L. Cameron
Staff Writer

Every new year, millions of Americans make the same resolution: to lose weight.

Every year, around mid-January, millions of Americans get depressed because, again, they fail in their resolution.

According to Gracie Williams, a home economist for the Chesapeake Extension Service, it is important to have the right attitude when starting a weight loss program.

"You have to make up your mind that 'hey, this is not good for me, and I'm going to do something about it,'" she says. "People have to have the 'want to' to do it, there's no magic!"

Williams said that being overweight causes many health problems including: high blood pressure, kidney failure, heart attack, high cholesterol and diabetes.

"Almost everything relates back to a person's weight," Williams said.

Williams said the Extension Office recommends that a person follow the dietary guidelines when trying to lose weight. They are:

1. Eat a variety of foods so the body doesn't get bored with any one thing.
2. Try to maintain a desirable weight.

3. Avoid too much fat, saturated fat and cholesterol.

4. Eat foods with adequate fiber and starch. (For example, wheat and grain breads, cereals, plenty of fruits.)

5. Avoid too much sugar.

6. Avoid too much sodium (salt).

7. If you drink alcoholic beverages, do so in moderation.

Alcohol is probably the biggest downfall (besides sweets) during this time of year. Many people don't realize just how many calories there are in alcoholic beverages.

For example: a 12 ounce can of beer has 151 calories, and light beer is not much better with most brands ranging in the 100 calories range. And, according to Williams, liquor is much worse: One jigger (1 ounce) of 90 proof alcohol has 110 calories and 100 proof alcohol has 124 calories. This does not include the mixers, which can really add up. A 3 1/2 ounce glass of wine has 141 calories but 3 1/2 ounces of sherry has only 81 calories.

When first starting out on a diet many people make the mistake of being too strict with themselves, Williams said.

"Usually, if they try to go on too strict a diet, the body will be craving things," Williams said. "Most people can't stick to 'fad' diets."

A better idea, Williams suggests, is to cut down, not cut out.

"If they get on a good diet, they

can change behavior and they can stay on this program longer," she said.

Ideal body weight is different for different people and therefore a doctor should be consulted to help determine a realistic goal.

"Before a person goes on a diet, they should definitely go to their doctor," Williams said. "It's more important to maintain health than to be thin." Williams also suggests a good exercise plan will help speed up the weight loss program.

"They should also think of some sort of exercise," Williams said.

"Walking is a good start for people who are out of shape, start gradually and work up."

She also said that aerobic exercise is not for everyone, and people should check with their doctor before making any attempts to do strenuous exercise.

Losing weight is not an easy thing, but with as many as 32 million Americans seriously overweight, there is plenty of good company, which, Williams says, may help.

"A lot of people do better with other people and friends doing it too," she says. "They use each other as incentive."

Most important of all, Williams reminds, is not to lose hope.

"Be patient and realistic and it should work," she says.

7-Elevens Give Free Coffee On New Year's

Tidewater area 7-Eleven stores will give customers a free coffee break on New Year's Eve.

Between the hours of 7 p.m. New Year's Eve and 11 a.m. on New Year's Day, 285 7-Eleven stores in Virginia Beach, Chesapeake and Portsmouth will offer free coffee to all motorists.

This is the third year that 7-Eleven stores have joined area efforts to reduce the number of traffic accidents during the holiday season. More than 6,000 stores across the United States are participating in the "Free Coffee on New Year's Eve" program.

In addition, 7-Eleven will offer a free telephone call to customers needing a free ride home. The free ride home program is sponsored by The Chemical Dependency Units of DePaul Hospital, The Harbours,

Heritage-Humana Bayside, Maryview Psychiatric Hospital, New Beginnings at Serenity Lodge, Perspectives-Peninsula Hospital, Tidewater Psychiatric Institute, and the Tidewater Council on Alcoholism. Free rides will be provided from 8 p.m. Dec. 31 to 8 a.m. Jan. 2.

The Southland Corporation, operator and franchisor of 7-Eleven stores, several years ago introduced an employee and public awareness program designed to prohibit the sale of alcoholic beverages to underage customers. The program, called Come of Age, features extensive employee training, in-store signage, national and local advertising, and an alcohol education program distributed to health and physical education instructors in more than 40,000 junior high and middle schools throughout the

United States.

In addition, the Tidewater 7-Eleven stores are participating in the Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) public awareness program to stop drinking and driving called Project Red Ribbon. 7-Eleven will distribute free ribbons to customers the week between Christmas and New Year's. The public is asked to "tie one on for safety" by tying a ribbon to a visible part of their vehicle, like an antenna or outside rear view mirror. This serves as a symbol that the driver has made a commitment not to drive under the influence of alcohol.

According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, alcohol is a contributing factor in up to 50 percent of all motor vehicle fatalities.

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Op-ed

New Year's Eve Traditions Have Stuck Over The Years



By Lillian Youell,
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If you celebrate on New Year's Eve, perhaps you should celebrate the next day. After all, New Year's Day is a time to take it easy, recover from the hectic holiday season and review the past year. It is also a time to look to the future by considering resolutions for the coming year.

This New Year's Eve, there is a bicentennial event, which apparently has been overlooked, but which we should all celebrate. Although I knew that the nostalgic lyrics of "Auld Lang Syne" had been composed by Scotland's national folk poet, Robert Burns, I was unaware that he had written those familiar words 200 years ago in 1788! Surely, we should raise a toast to Bobby Burns as this year comes to a close.

Burns never claimed credit for the tune, attributing the melody to an old man's singing of a song of olden times, probably an old Scottish folk melody. The tradition of singing Burns' song at midnight on New Year's Eve came from a custom, originated in the British Isles in the late 18th century, of ending all parties with the song while the guests joined hands in a circle. In the Scots' dialect, "Auld Lang Syne" meant "old long since," and had been roughly translated as "the good old days."

There are a number of traditions associated with New Year's Day. In the 8th century, when the Roman calendar was expanded from 10 to 12 months, Januarius was the name given to the first of the two new months. This name honored Janus, an ancient Roman deity, the god of gates and doors - or beginnings. You may recall that Janus was two-faced. His image looks backward and forward. Thus, January first has become a time to look

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to the past and then to the future.

This is why making resolutions on New Year's Day has become one of our traditions. But, resolutions, like Janus, take many directions. A resolution could be the formal written sense of a legislative body, or it could be simply a statement of good intention. Popular New Year's Resolutions, such as assertions to lose weight or to stop smoking are seldom carried out.

An archaic definition of the verb resolve is "to determine after reflection - on a better course of life." Some statements connote conviction and firmness of purpose, such as the inspiring quotation by Stonewall Jackson, echoed over the arch at the Virginia Military Institute. "You can be whatever you resolve to be."

On a less serious note, other customs concern what to eat on the first day of the year. To ensure the good fortune of your friends and family, you could plan a "party for good luck" and serve black-eyed peas. It is thought that this "cowpea" originated in Nigeria and that the descendants of the first Afro-Americans developed the dish, "Hoppin' John," traditionally served on

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Raymond White & Associates Opens Up New Division

Raymond White and Associates, a management consulting firm, has recently opened a new division. Health Claims Services Division provides large corporations, insurance companies and H.M.O.'s with prescription drug claims processing services. Raymond K. White, a Certified Professional Consultant, will head the new division.

Pembroke Realty Expands Office Space

Pembroke Commercial Realty Corporation announces that Virginia Plan Administrators has expanded its office space and is now leasing 3,160 sq. ft. in Corporate Center Three on Corporation Lane.

Virginia Plan is an employee benefits administrator, according to Lisa Trump, the Pembroke Commercial Realty leasing agent who handled this transaction.

Rauch, Witt & Company Merges

The accounting firm of Rauch, Witt & Company will merge with the Suffolk accounting practice of Henry G. Simpson & Co., Ltd., effective Jan. 1. Simpson will become a partner with Rauch, Witt and will continue to manage the Suffolk office. This merger will give Rauch, Witt a total of four offices in Hampton Roads.

Edward D. Jones & Co. Surpasses \$1 Billion In Passport Balances

John Van Selow, who represents the St. Louis-based brokerage firm Edward D. Jones & Co. in Virginia Beach, announced that the firm's Daily Passport Cash Trust exceeded \$1 billion in balances.

Passport, also known as the firm's Money Market Fund, has grown in popularity because of its flexibility and convenience for instant availability of funds. Also popular is the flexibility it offers through a variety of optional features such as check-writing, direct deposit and a VISA debit card.

Infant Stimulation Center Expands Its Facilities

The Infant Stimulation Center, which has been cramped in one or two rooms of a church nursery for about 11 years, will be expanding its facilities.

The Wycliffe Presbyterian Church, which has been allowing the Community Services Board agency to conduct the stimulation program in its nursery rooms, has leased to the Friends of Infant Stimulation a chapel on the property at North Great Neck Road at no cost.

The Friends were granted a permit from city council to renovate the chapel and to add approximately 2500 square feet of floor space in two-story additions. The facility will eventually contain areas for education and skill-building programs, a therapy pool, a therapy area for individual appointments, changing rooms, kitchen facilities for special events and office space. The program provides services for approximately 80 children. No fee for the services is charged.

Nelson Launches New Car Line

Infiniti, the luxury car division of Nissan Motor Corporation in U.S.A., has announced that John Brock Nelson will own and operate one of Infiniti's first new car dealerships nationwide. His new dealership will be located in Virginia Beach.

Nelson, selected from more than 1,200 franchise applicants, will be one of approximately 165 dealers chosen to represent the exclusive Infiniti marque.

Foster Families

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"We always initially place them together," she said.

Although most of the foster families are military, Van Bourgondien said single parents and divorced women also care for these children, who speak no or little English when they arrive. She added that a few Vietnamese families in the area have signed up to become foster families parents.

"We'd like to have a lot more Vietnamese families," Van Bourgondien said, although "some kids do better in American homes." Van Bourgondien said, depending on how quickly the children learn,

most can converse in English pretty well after one year. When a child arrives he is assigned a family and a tutor, who is asked to make a three month commitment.

"We train on how to tutor a child in English," she said.

Van Bourgondien said 25% of the children move from their initial placement. She said it's difficult to make a long term placement decision because they don't know much about the children when they arrive.

"We only move them if there are real specific problems in the home," she said. "Some work out great and some don't."



Howard Lee

Just A Chat

Name: Howard Lee.

Occupation: Superintendent Grounds Maintenance Bureau.

Neighborhood: Kempville; Woods of Avalon.

Age: 55.

Marital status: Married with four children.

Biggest accomplishment in your life: Getting married.

Biggest mistake in your life: I don't really have a big mistake.

What do you really like about your job: That I'm involved throughout the city with beautification.

If you could write a national newspaper column, what would your message be: That people should go back to basics more.

What do you consider the meaning of success: Accomplishing a goal you set for yourself.

If you received a million dollars tomorrow, what would you do with it: Pay off my debts and figure out what to do with the rest.

What's your idea of a fun evening: Being at home with my family.

What's your idea of a fun weekend: Working in my yard and watching the Redskins on Sunday.

What's your best personality trait: Honesty.

What's your worst personality trait: Jumping to conclusions.

What's your dream vacation: Go to Hawaii for two weeks with my bride.

What's your favorite time of the year and why: Spring and fall - the transition periods.

What's your favorite day of the week and why: Sunday - that's the day I take it easy and rest and spend with my family.

What's your favorite pet: Dalmations - I have two of those.

Your dream car: A brand new Dodge truck - loaded!

Your favorite sport: Jogging and football.

Your favorite sports team: Redskins.

What's your pet peeve: People who don't care about what they're doing in life.

What do you like to do to relax after a hard day's work: Have a couple of Budweisers and shoot the breeze with my bride.

What's your favorite TV program: McNeill-Lehrer news hour.

Your favorite movie: "The Sting."

Your favorite entertainer: Bill Cosby.

What's your favorite food and drink: Pizza and Budweiser.

What's your favorite restaurant: Lynnhaven Fish House.

What do you think is one of the biggest problems facing the world: Poverty in the third world countries.

What do you think is one of the biggest problems facing Virginia Beach: Growth and water and how it impacts the quality of life.

What do you like most about Virginia Beach: The lifestyle, people and the fact that things are exciting.

NPALSA Holds Meeting

The Norfolk-Portsmouth Area Legal Secretaries Association will hold its regular monthly meeting on Thursday, Jan. 5, at The Sheraton, Military Circle, in Norfolk at 6 p.m. Marjorie L. Harmon, PLS VALS' Parliamentarian will be the speaker for the evening.

The cost of the dinner will be \$12.70 with a choice of sliced roast pork loin au jus or broiled trout almonde. Call Kim Hardin at 461-2554 by 4 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 30, to make reservations.

Lynnhaven DAR Meets

The Lynnhaven Parish Chapter, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution will meet Saturday, Jan. 14, at 10 a.m. at the Francis Land House, 3131 Virginia Beach Boulevard.

Dr. Nancy T. Jones, director of the Virginia Beach City Schools Gifted Education Program, will speak on "Excellence in Education in Our Nation."

Special guests will be the three recipients of the DAR Good Citizen Award sponsored by Lynnhaven Parish Chapter, their

parents and guidance counselors. Honored will be Rebecca Tickton, daughter of Mrs. R.T. Tickton, of Kempville High School, Miché Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Purcell of Green Run High School and Beth Sweeney daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Walter Sweeney from Tabernacle Baptist School.

Reservations for the meeting may be made by calling the hostesses Mrs. Carey Hunley 464-1473 or Mrs. William Vose 499-7295.

Retired Officers Wives Hold Luncheon

The Retired Officers' Wives Society of Tidewater will celebrate its sixteenth anniversary on Thursday, Jan. 12, at a luncheon meeting at the Radisson Hotel (formerly Pavilion Towers), 1900 Pavilion Drive. The social hour will begin at 11:30 a.m. with luncheon served at 12:15 p.m.

Past presidents of the organization will be honored with a display of scrapbooks and mementos of each administration.

Ms. Karen Guill, agent with the Scheduled Airline Ticket Office (SATO) at the Naval Base will help chase the winter blues by offering travel tips for the military retiree. Airline tickets to Key West, Fla. will be offered as door prizes.

Reservations must be made by Jan. 9, by calling Mrs. Sherwood 464-0905 or Mrs. Vollmer 464-3745.

Parents Without Partners Meet

Parents Without Partners, Chapter 216, is inviting single parents of South Hampton Roads to a membership orientation which will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 3, at 8 p.m. at 4424 Lee Ct (Chicks Beach).

Those who want to know more about PWP and are considering membership can call 495-1223 or 471-6672 for more information.

CBN Presents Jubilate '88

Celebrating New Year's Eve is 90 minutes of music live from Atlanta in the Jubilate '88 concert featuring Sandi Patti, gospel's hottest performer, on The CBN Family Channel, Saturday, Dec. 31 at 11 p.m.

Connections Needs Writing Volunteers

Connections, a licensed non-profit program, will hold an information meeting Wednesday, Jan. 11 at 7:30 p.m., for individuals skilled in writing ad copy and designing brochures and posters for its refugee foster care program.

Volunteer assignments are available immediately and are time limited.

If interested in these or other volunteer projects, call 473-0352.

Bowl-a-thon Held For Easter Seals

Amway is sponsoring a Bowl-a-thon to benefit Easter Seals on Sunday, Jan. 29 from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Indian River Lanes.

The Bowl-a-thon is open to the public and all proceeds will go to benefit the many services and programs the Hampton Roads Easter Seal Society provides for those less fortunate.

Interested bowlers should call Bill Smith at 486-6144 after 5 p.m. for more information. Deadline for registration is Jan. 15.

Va. Museum Focuses On Russia

A film and gallery-talk program at the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts on Tuesday, Jan. 3, 2 p.m. will focus on the final decades of imperial Russia and the artistic legacy of renowned jeweler Peter Carl Fabergé.

The free, public program will begin with a short film, "Lost to the Revolution" written and directed

in 1981 by Tim Forbes. The 28-minute picture will be screened in the museum's auditorium.

Program participants will then move to the museum's Fabergé Gallery, which houses the largest public collection of Fabergé imperial Easter Eggs outside the USSR, as well as hundreds of extraordinary jeweled and enameled objects from the House of Fabergé.

AIDS Conference

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said.

Although AIDS symptoms vary from person to person, Rodgers said the majority of patients have a pneumonia called PCP. Others may contract a form of cancer or other infections.

"It can take a different course in different people," she said. Rodgers said Planned Parenthood encourages voluntary testing. Although doctors are working hard to find a vaccine to prevent AIDS, or even find a cure. "It would still be a long way away. We're talking years."

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Longwood Held Graduation

Longwood College's December Commencement was held recently. Degrees were awarded to 51 students who completed graduation requirements during the summer session or the fall semester of 1988. Speaker for the occasion was Dr. C. Fred Bateman, superintendent of Chesapeake public schools.

Among those receiving were: Luanne Blair and Kenneth Alan Brooks.

TCC Announces Campus Closings

All campuses and the District Office of Tidewater Community College will be closed until 8 a.m. on Jan. 3. Registration for classes at all campuses will take place through Jan. 7. Classes begin Jan. 9. The faculty and staff of Tidewater Community College wishes you a joyous and happy holiday season.

Dray Visits Daughter At Converse

Jan R. Dray, of 1168 Lord Dunmore Drive, attended Freshman Fathers Weekend at Converse College where his daughter, Wendy Michelle Dray, is a student.

Approximately 158 fathers attended the special father/daughter weekend. The fathers were treated to a skit, sports tournaments, a picnic, and meetings with the college administrators and faculty. Open house tours of the residence halls and a candlelight banquet completed the weekend events.



Secondary art student, Chopper Dawson (right) uses the potter's wheel under the supervision and watchful eye of the Old Donation Center Art Instructor, Bob Karl.

ODC Displays Secondary Art

The secondary art work is on display at Old Donation Center for the gifted and talented during school hours through Jan. 27, 1989. The public is invited.



Councilman Albert W. Balko (left) and C.A. Nash, Jr., district engineer for the Virginia Department of Transportation, escort Mayor Meyera E. Oberndorf off a trolley at the Great Neck Bridge Dedication.

Dedication Held For Great Neck Bridge

The dedication of the new four-lane bridge underscores the end of one of the city's significant traffic bottlenecks. It is anticipated that an average of 31,300 vehicles per day will travel Great Neck Road by the year 2000.

The project cost approximately 10.6 million dollars and consists of a four-lane divided highway and bridge.

In addition, the bridge connects two major bike paths in Virginia Beach. The Great Neck and Bayfront corridor now form approximately 20 miles of bikeway, connecting the Great Neck area to Sea Shore State Park.

TCC Holds Mechanics Classes

Tidewater Community College will offer a new course in Fluid Mechanics and Hydraulics on the Virginia Beach Campus during the 1989 spring semester.

The 3-credit class will meet on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 1:30 to 3 p.m. For those who prefer evening classes, a second

session is scheduled on Tuesday evenings from 7:15 to 9:55 p.m.

In their study of fluid mechanics and hydraulics, students will be introduced to fluid statics, Bernoulli's equation, multiple pipe lines, open channel flow and fluid measurement techniques.



Mrs. Williams' third graders representing the menorah.



Christmas tree ornaments (left to right) Christina Angelson, Lauren Mills and Shannon Frazier.



Third graders wishing a Happy Hanukkah.

Malibu Elementary Held Annual Winter Program

Holiday symbols came alive at Malibu Elementary during their annual winter program. A large paper tree covered the back of the stage, while students paraded by in paper costumes of Big Bird, Cookie Monster, Care Bear, Smurf and many other Christmas gifts. Huge round 4 1/2 foot tree ornaments were worn by the students. Black lights were used as the Menorah candles worn by the third grade children lit up and wished all a

Happy Hanukkah.

Guests, teachers and students felt the merriment of the season as the fifth and sixth grade chorus, directed by Mrs. Correll and accompanied by sixth grader, Eric Burke, sang. The origin of mistletoe, Ivy and other holiday symbols was explained by narrator, Erin Sonn. Ages of participants ranged from two year old pre-schoolers to twelve year old sixth graders.

Council Approves Refunding Bond

City council has approved the refunding by the Portsmouth Redevelopment and Housing Authority of a 1985, \$28,150,000 industrial development revenue bond for Regency Apartments at 2110

Westminister Lane, for a multifamily rental housing project. Principals of the company are N. Barton Truck Jr. and AmReal Realty, Inc.

The original bonds were issued before the Virginia Beach Development Authority had the power to issue housing bonds. Because the project is in Virginia Beach, permission for the refunding must be obtained from city council.

Council Approves New Community Service Board

City council has appointed three members to the Community Services Board for one-year terms. They are R.P. Gomez, Janice H. Kitchen and Lawrence R. Segal.

Cristiano D. Romero also was appointed to fill unexpired one-year term on the Public Library Board.

Reappointed were: *To the Resort Area Advisory Commission: Robert S. Vakos; Thomas S. Shadrick, vice chairman; Timothy Barrow, chairman; R.D. Taylor, and T.C. Kyros for three-year terms; David R. Hager,

Patricia L. Wallace, Roger E. Newell, R.J. Nutter and Edmund C. Ruffin for two-year terms, and Bruce L. Thompson and Betty C. Wells for one-year terms.

*To the Virginia Beach Community Development Corporation, John Boone for four years.

Haynes Graduates Assault School

Spec. Dwight A. Haynes was presented the Air Assault Badge upon graduation from the U.S. Army's air assault school at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii.

Trainees learned to rapidly and safely exit a helicopter from a variety of difficult situations, whether descending into tree tops or lowering themselves or injured soldiers down sheer drops.

Haynes is the son of Doris M. and Dalbert M. Haynes of 208 Cheltenham Drive.

He is a 1984 graduate of Cox High School.

Cornell Completes Infantry Training

Pvt. Robert A. Cornell, son of retired Navy Chief Petty Officer Clinton R. and Margaret Cornell of 629 Aragona Blvd., has completed training at the U.S. Army Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga.

During the course, students received training which qualified them as light-weapons infantrymen and as indirect-fire crewmen in a rifle or mortar squad.

Pickett Appoints Students To Nation's Service Academies

Congressman Owen B. Pickett recently announced the nominations of students for appointment to the nation's service academies.

To the U.S. Air Force Academy at West Point: Hayley M. Bauer, Cox High School; Kathleen M. Jones, Princess Anne High School; Peter A. Lamore, First Colonial High School and Jeffrey W. Thompson, First Colonial.

Nominated for the U.S. Air Force Academy: Dawn E. Daniel, Kempville High School; Gil R. Flores, Green Run High School; Gregory A. Gautreaux, Bayside High; Joel A.M. Marcia, Green Run High; John L. Rice, Princess Anne High; Jeffrey P. Scofield, Cox High; Andrew S. Urbaczewski,

Princess Anne High and Gabriel E. Walsh-Linck, First Colonial High.

Appointed to the U.S. Naval Academy: Eric M. Bayman, Princess Anne High School; Timothy S. Curry, Kempville High; Christopher S. Decker, Princess Anne High; Jonathan D. Frieden, Kellam High; Michael S. Geismar, Green Run High; Christopher D. Morton, Princess Anne High; Michael S. Strobach, Green Run High; Carla M. Williams, Princess Anne High and Christopher N. Reyes, Green Run High.

Jeffrey Francis Moffitt of Green Run High School was appointed to the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy.

Cox Cable Makes Its Way To Pungo Area

With the construction of a line-of-sight relay tower, Cox Cable Hampton Roads expects to extend cable service to the Pungo area. The first home should be receiving cable in the late spring or early summer, according to Franklin R. Bowers, vice president/general manager.

That leaves Blackwater still out of the cable circuit. To get cable to Blackwater, said Bowers, would entail crossing the intercoastal waterway and another tower.

City council granted Cox Cable a use permit for the tower on a 3.6 acre parcel on the north side of North Muddy Creek Road, east of

Princess Anne Road. Council had turned down a previous application for a tower on another site close to

"downtown" Pungo. The tower will be 150 feet high.

Bowers told council that Cox tries to go into areas where the density is at least 20 homes a mile. He said that furnishing cable to one home at a cost of \$15,000 doesn't make much sense.

Mayor Meyera Oberndorf took the opportunity to point out to the citizens that council has no control over rate increases. "That control was taken out of our hands by the federal government," she said.

The permit was approved by a 9-1 vote with Councilwoman Barbara Henley abstaining. Councilwoman Nancy Parker was absent.

Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 22nd day of December, 1988, SUNNY CLIFTON BOYD, Plaintiff, against MARKELL THERON BOYD, Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
Docket # CH88-3960

The object of this suit is for the plaintiff to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii from the said defendant, upon the grounds of one year separation.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being 25 Country Club Lane, Las Vegas, Nevada, 89199, it is ordered that Markell Theron Boyd do appear on or before the 13th of February, 1989, and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A Copy Teste:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By: Raymond W. Bjorkman D.C.

Tom C. Smith
Attorney at Law
2604 Pacific Avenue
Va. Beach, Virginia, 23451

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Public Notice

In The Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 22nd day of December, 1988.

LISA ANN HOUGHTON MAGALLON, Plaintiff, against RALPH C. MAGALLON, JR., Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
DOCKET #CH88-3888

The object of this suit is for the plaintiff to obtain a divorce A Vin-

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Virginia Beach Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, January 10, 1989, at 12:00 Noon in the Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, Princess Anne Court-house, Virginia Beach, Virginia. A briefing session will be held at 9:00 a.m. in the Planning Department Conference Room, Operations Building. PLANNING COMMISSION ACTION IS NOT A FINAL DETERMINATION OF THE APPLICATION, BUT ONLY A RECOMMENDATION TO THE CITY COUNCIL AS THE VIEWPOINT OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION. FINAL DETERMINATION OF THE APPLICATION IS TO BE MADE BY CITY COUNCIL AT A LATER DATE, AFTER PUBLIC NOTICE IN A NEWSPAPER HAVING GENERAL CIRCULATION WITHIN THE CITY.

THOSE MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC INTERESTED IN ATTENDING THE PUBLIC HEARING SHOULD BE ADVISED THAT, FOR REASONS THE PLANNING COMMISSION DEEMS APPROPRIATE, CERTAIN ITEMS ON THE AGENDA MAY BE HEARD OUT OF ORDER AND THAT IT SHOULD NOT BE ASSUMED THAT THE ORDER LISTED BELOW WILL BE EXACTLY FOLLOWED DURING THE PUBLIC HEARING.

The staff reviews of some or all of the items on this agenda suggest that certain conditions be attached to approval by City Council. However, it should not be assumed that those conditions constitute all the conditions that will ultimately be attached to the project. Staff agencies may impose further conditions and requirements during administration of applicable city ordinances.

REGULAR AGENDA:

SUBDIVISION VARIANCE:
1. Appeal from Decisions of Administrative Officers in regard to certain elements of the Subdivision Ordinance, Subdivision for Paul J. & Jane B. Karsers. Property is located at 1422-A N. Woodhouse Road. Plans with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning, LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

2. Appeal from Decisions of Administrative Officers in regard to

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certain elements of the Subdivision Ordinance, Subdivision for Cedar Cove Associates. Property is located at the southeast corner of Adam Keeling Road and West Twin Cove Road. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.**

CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION:

3. An Ordinance upon Application of B.D. and Chandrabala B. Patel for a Change of Zoning District Classification from H-1 Hotel District to B-2 Community Business District on the east side of Diamond Springs Road, 130 feet south of Aragon Drive. Said parcel is located at 1808 Diamond Springs Road and contains 21,496.86 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **BAYSIDE BOROUGH.**

4. An Ordinance upon Application of Missions to Military, Inc., for a Change of Zoning District Classification from R-5D Residential Duplex District to B-2 Community Business District on the north side of Shell Road, 1300 feet more or less west of Downs Lane. Said parcel is located at 5632 Shell Road and contains 1.78 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **BAYSIDE BOROUGH.**

5. An Ordinance upon Application of Albert N. & Diana H. Jensen for a Change of Zoning District Classification from R-10 Residential District to I-1 Light Industrial District on the west side of S. Birdneck Road, 549.30 feet south of Jackson Lane. Said parcel contains 17,424 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.**

6. An Ordinance upon Application of Hickory Lake Associates, a Virginia General Partnership for a modification to the land use plan for the Green Run PD-H to allow commercial in addition to an automobile service station on certain property located at the southeast corner of Lynnhaven Parkway and Rosemont Road. Said parcel contains 27,007 square feet. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. **PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.**

7. An Ordinance upon Application of Michael Weissman, Max Weissman and Howard Gould for a Change of Zoning District Classification from R-5D Residential Duplex District to O-1 Office

District on the south side of Indian River Road, 130 feet more or less east of Church Street. Said parcel contains 1.150 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.**

8. An Ordinance upon Application of Sentara Health System for a Change of Zoning District Classification from B-2 Community Business District to O-2 Office District on certain property located at the southeast corner of Holland Road and Windsor Oaks Boulevard Proposed. Said parcel contains 3.5 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.**

9. An Ordinance upon Application of Sentara Health System for a Change of Zoning District Classification from A-12 Apartment District to O-2 Office District on the following parcels:

Parcel 1: Located on the south side of Holland Road beginning at a point 400 feet more or less east of Windsor Oaks Boulevard Proposed.

Parcel 2: Located on the east side of Windsor Oaks Boulevard Proposed beginning at a point 1350 feet more or less south of Holland Road. Said parcels contain 23.8 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.**

10. An Ordinance upon Application of Sentara Health System for a Change of Zoning District Classification from R-7.5 Residential District to O-2 Office District on certain property located on the east side of Windsor Oaks Boulevard Proposed beginning at a point 700 feet more or less south of Holland Road. Said parcel contains 12.6 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.**

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT:

11. An Ordinance upon Application of Sentara Health System for a Conditional Use Permit for a hospital and nursing home on certain property located at the southeast corner of Holland Road and Windsor Oaks Boulevard Proposed. Said parcel contains 39.9 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.**

CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION:

12. An Ordinance upon Application of ALWAT Associates for a Change of Zoning District Classification from R-5D Residential

Duplex District to B-2 Community Business District on certain property located at 4883 Bonney Road. Said parcel contains 1.065 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.**

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT:

13. An Ordinance upon Application of ALWAT Associates for a Conditional Use Permit for bulk storage on certain property located at 4883 Bonney Road. Said parcel contains 1.065 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.**

14. An Ordinance upon Application of The Southland Corporation for a Conditional Use Permit for gasoline sales in conjunction with a convenience store on certain property located at the northwest corner of Independence Boulevard and Edwin Drive. Said parcel contains 31,382.8 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.**

15. An Ordinance upon Application of Suzuki of Virginia Beach, Inc., for a Conditional Use Permit for motor vehicle sales and service on the south side of Virginia Beach Boulevard, 120 feet east of Haycox Road. Said parcel is located at 3513 Virginia Beach Boulevard and contains 1.831 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.**

16. An Ordinance upon Application of Philip A. Rowland for a Conditional Use Permit for an automobile repair establishment to include body shop on the north side of Southern Boulevard, 270 feet more or less west of Sykes Avenue. Said parcel is located at 1444 Southern Boulevard and contains 8.92 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.**

17. An Ordinance upon Application of Different Strokes for a Conditional Use Permit for a commercial recreational facility other than an outdoor nature (miniature golf and amusements) at the southwest corner of S. Lynnhaven Parkway and North Mall Drive. Said parcel is located at 2701 North Mall Drive, Suites 105 and 106, and contains 8.196 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.**

STREET CLOSURE:

18. Application of Pasquale F. DiVito for the discontinuance, closure and abandonment of a portion of Page Avenue beginning at the western boundary of Jade Avenue and running in an easterly direction

a distance of 334.16 feet. Said parcel is 60 feet in width and contains 19,783 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.**

19. Application of W & K Associates, a Virginia General Partnership, for the discontinuance, closure and abandonment of a portion of Whitehurst Landing Road beginning on the west side of Kempsville Road, 94.52 feet south of Whitehurst Landing Road and running in a northerly direction a distance of 150.16 feet. Said parcel is variable in width and contains 12,462.6 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.**

AMENDMENTS:

20. Motion of the Planning Commission of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Article 2, Section 205 of the City Zoning Ordinance pertaining to parking and storage of major recreational equipment. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning.

21. Motion of the Planning Commission of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Article 1, Section 111 of the City Zoning Ordinance pertaining to the definition of the term "sign." More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning.

22. Motion of the Planning Commission of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Article 2, Section 202 of the City Zoning Ordinance pertaining to height limitations for additions to residential structures. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning.

DEFERRED 30 DAYS BY PLANNING COMMISSION ON 12-13-88:

23. An Ordinance upon Application of Rowe Properties - Corporate Woods, L.P., for a Change of Zoning District Classification from O-2 Office District to I-1 Light Industrial District on certain property located on the east side of the north-

ern extremity of Corporate Woods Drive. Said parcel contains 11,325.6 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.**

24. An Ordinance upon Application of Rowe Properties - Corporate Woods, L.P., for a Change of Zoning District Classification from R-5D Residential Duplex District to O-2 Office District on certain property located 280 feet more or less north of Bonney Road beginning at a point 530 feet more or less east of Grayson Road. Said parcel contains 13,503.6 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.**

25. An Ordinance upon Application of Witcheeduck Lake Enterprises, Inc., for a Conditional Use Permit to fill a borrow pit on certain property located at the western extremity of Witcheeduck Court. Said parcel contains 54 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. **BAYSIDE BOROUGH.**

26. Motion of the Planning Commission of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Article 1, Section 105 of the City Zoning Ordinance pertaining to nonconformity. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning.

27. Motion of the Planning Commission of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Article 1, Section 107 of the City Zoning Ordinance pertaining to amendments. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning.

28. Motion of the Planning Commission of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Article 2, Section 221 (c)(e)(f) of the City Zoning Ordinance pertaining to procedural requirements and general standards for conditional uses. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning.

29. An Ordinance upon Application of ESG Enterprises, Inc. - Doustan Partnership, Joint Venture for a Conditional Zoning Classification from AG-2 Agricultural District to O-2 Office District on certain property located on the west side of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 1036 feet north of London Bridge Road (Relocated). Said parcel contains 7.78 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. **PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.**

30. An Ordinance upon Application of ESG Enterprises, Inc. - Doustan Partnership, Joint Venture for a Conditional Zoning Classification from AG-1 Agricultural District to O-2 Office District on certain property located 600 feet west of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 1036 feet north of London Bridge Road (Relocated). Said parcel contains 7.78 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. **PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.**

31. An Ordinance upon Application of ESG Enterprises, Inc. - Doustan Partnership, Joint Venture for a Conditional Zoning Classification from AG-1 Agricultural District to I-1 Light Industrial District on certain property located 1398 feet more or less west of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 2000 feet more or less north of London Bridge Road (Relocated). Said parcel contains 44.61 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. **PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.**

32. An Ordinance upon Application of ESG Enterprises, Inc. - Doustan Partnership, Joint Venture for a Conditional Zoning Classification from AG-2 Agricultural District to B-2 Community Business District on certain property located on the west side of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 1487.77 feet north of London Bridge Road (Relocated). Said parcel contains 16.43 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. **PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.**

33. An Ordinance upon Application of ESG Enterprises, Inc. - Doustan Partnership, Joint Venture for a Conditional Zoning Classification from AG-2 Agricultural District to A-24 Apartment District on certain property located 485 feet west of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 1487.77 feet north of London Bridge Road (Relocated). Said parcel contains 4.89 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. **PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.**

34. An Ordinance upon Application of ESG Enterprises, Inc. - Doustan Partnership, Joint Venture for a Conditional Zoning Classifi-

cation from AG-1 Agricultural District to A-24 Apartment District on certain property located 600 feet west of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 1840 feet more or less northeast of London Bridge Road (Relocated). Said parcel contains 35.37 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning. **PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.**

REGULAR AGENDA:
CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION:

35. An Ordinance upon Application of ESG Enterprises, Inc. - Doustan Partnership, Joint Venture for a Conditional Zoning Classification from AG-2 Agricultural District to H-1 Hotel District on certain property located on the west side of General Booth Boulevard beginning at a point 2895.40 feet more or less north of London Bridge Road (Relocated). Said parcel contains 3.78 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning. **PRINCESS ANNE BOROUGH.**

All interested persons are invited to attend.

Robert J. Scott
Planning Director

211-4VBS

Public Notice

Take notice, that on January 3, 1989, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., at the premises of 4753 Virginia Beach Blvd., Virginia Beach, Virginia 23462, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash only, reserving the right to bid, the following motor vehicle:

1982 Chevrolet Cavalier T10
Serial #1G1AE77G3C7134037
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Public Notice

Take notice, that on January 3, 1989, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., at the premises of 4753 Virginia Beach Blvd., Virginia Beach, Virginia 23462, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash only, reserving the right to bid, the following motor vehicle:

1983 Chevrolet Celebrity
Serial #1G1AW19R4D6809068
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Public Notice

The Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a Public Hearing on Wednesday, January 4, 1989, at 2:00 p.m., in the City Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, Municipal Center, Virginia Beach, Virginia. The staff briefing will be held at 1:30 p.m., in the City Council Meeting Office. The following applications will appear on the agenda.

*PLEASE NOTE: IF NO ONE APPEARS BEFORE THE BOARD TO REPRESENT THE APPLICATION, THE VARIANCE COULD BE DENIED!!

REGULAR AGENDA:

Case 1: Harold and Arvid Lawless requests a variance of 8.5 feet to a 1.5 foot side yard setback (West side) instead of 10 feet as required (proposed car port on Lot 12, Block B, Section 1, Sherry Park, 920 Sherry Avenue. Kempsville Borough. Zoning: R-10)

Case 2: Mark and Connie Schreiber requests a variance of 20 feet to a 30 foot front yard setback (Haversham Close) instead of 50 feet as required and of 5 feet to a 25 foot setback from Dey Cove Drive instead of 30 feet as required for side yards adjacent to a street (proposed dwelling) on Lot 70, Section 1, Broad Bay Point Greens, 2433 Haversham Close. Lynnhaven Borough. Zoning: R-30 (OP)

Case 3: Christopher J. Fanny requests a variance of 7.70 feet to a 2.30 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet as required and of 5.50 feet to a 2.50 foot side yard setback (north side) instead of 8 feet as required (Accessory structures - decking and storage shed) on Lot 4, Block 8, Section E, Cape Henry, 7006 Atlantic Avenue. Lynnhaven Borough. Zoning: R5R

Case 4: Margaret T. Cooke requests a variance of 21.7 feet to a 8.3 foot setback from Myrtle Avenue instead of 30 feet as required (proposed residential addition) on Lot B, Redivision of Lots 59, and 60, The Hollies, 4504 Myrtle Avenue. Virginia Beach Borough. Zoning: R-7-5

Case 5: Walter D. and Anne Fetterly requests a variance of 7 feet to a 23 foot front yard setback (south Atlantic Avenue) instead of 30 feet as required (proposed steps and decking) on Lot 4, Parcel D, Croatan Beach, 201 Lockhead Avenue. Lynnhaven Borough. Zoning: R-10

Case 6: Abelardo C. Atilano request a variance of 5 feet to a 5 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet

as required (accessory building - storage shed) on Lot 26, Block G, Section 2, Birchwood Gardens, 428 Hopkins Road. Lynnhaven Borough. Zoning: R7.5

Case 7: Robert A. Widener requests a variance of 5.4 feet to a 14.6 foot setback from Guam Avenue and of 4.5 feet to a 15.5 foot setback from Fortress Avenue instead of 20 feet each as required and of 5.8 feet to a 4.2 foot side yard setback (west side) instead of 10 feet as required (proposed duplex) on Lots 9 and 10, Block 9, Chesapeake Shores, 4601 Guam Avenue. Bayside Borough. Zoning: R5R

Case 8: Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Hardock requests a variance of 7 feet to a 13 foot rear yard setback (west side) instead of 20 feet as required (proposed sunroom) on Lot 1, King's Point, 410 King James Court. Lynnhaven Borough. Zoning: R7.5

Case 9: South Birdneck Business Park requests a variance to waive the Category VI Landscaping along the northern and southern property lines where required for bulk storage yards on Parcel C, subdivision of Part of Howard P. Ivins, 593 South Birdneck Road. Lynnhaven Borough. Zoning: 11

Case 10: Michael and Diane Cook requests a variance of 8.5 feet to a 1.5 foot rear yard setback instead of 10 feet as required and of 3 feet to a 2 foot side yard setback (east side) instead of 5 feet as required (proposed accessory building - storage shed and swimming pool pump) on Lot 311, Section 5, Red Mill Farm, 1309 Warner Hall Drive. Princess Anne Borough. Zoning: R7-5

Case 11: Mary L. Flanagan request a variance to waive the 6 foot fence and Category VI Landscaping where required for automotive repair garages on Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, First Colonial Road at Laskin Road. Lynnhaven Borough. Zoning: B-2

Case 12: Hickory Lake Associates requests a variance of 3000 square feet in land area instead of 30,000 square feet of land area as required for automotive gasoline service with retail stores on Parcel "B", Block B-Part 2, Section L-8, Green Run, Lynnhaven Parkway and Rosemont Road. Princess Anne Borough. Zoning: PDH1

Case 13: Sanders Development Co., Inc./o Richard L. Phipps requests a variance of 899 square feet in land area to 19,101 square feet in land area instead of 20,000 square feet in land area as required and to waive the fencing and Category VI Landscaping where required for an automotive lubrication establishment on Parcel 5, subdivision of South Commercial site - Dam Neck Estates, Dam Neck Road, Princess Anne Borough. Zoning: B-2

Case 14: Michael D. Sifen requests a variance of 2 feet to an 8 foot side yard setback (east and west sides) instead of 10 feet as required and of 1581 square feet in building floor area to 5081 square feet in building floor area instead of 3500 square feet in building area as allowed and of (1) parking space to (3) parking spaces instead of (4) parking spaces as required and to allow 40 (40%) percent in lot coverage instead of 35 (35%) percent in lot coverage as allowed (proposed conversion of single family to a duplex) on Lot 9, Block 30, Plat of Ocean Park, 3730 Jefferson Boulevard. Bayside Borough. Zoning: R5R

DEFERRED AGENDA:
Case D-1: W.N. Hall requests a variance of 25 feet in lot width to 75 feet in lot width instead of 100 feet in lot width as required and of 775.25 square feet in land area to 19,224.75 square feet in land area instead of 20,000 square feet in land area as required for motor vehicle sales and rental establishments on Lots 17, 18, 19, 39, 40 and 41, Euclid Place, 205 Dorset Avenue. Bayside Borough. Zoning: B-2

Case D-2: Harmon E. and Ann H. Long requests a variance to allow 851 square feet in floor area instead of 500 square feet in floor area as allowed for accessory structures (proposed 30 foot by 25 foot detached garage and existing 8.3 foot by 12.2 foot storage shed) on Lot 74, Section 2, Lawson Forest, 5600 Sedgemoor Road. Bayside Borough. Zoning: R-10

Case D-3: Frank A. McKinney by Samuel Brown, Attorney requests a variance of 25 feet to a 5 foot setback from Providence Road instead of 30 feet as required through lot (swimming pool) on Lot 3, Block X, Section 4, Bellamy Manor, 4705 Chalfont Drive. Kempsville Borough. Zoning: R-10

Case D-4: Charles H. O'Brien requests a variance to allow parking of major recreational equipment in front of a building instead of behind the nearest portion of a building adjacent to a public street on Lot 12, Block 8, Section 10-B, Windsor Woods, 3616 South Gladstone Arch. Lynnhaven Borough. Zoning: R-6

Case D-5: Paul D. and Christine

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New Year's Day.

A review of several books on folklore, superstitions and domestic pursuits suggests there are many magic moments ahead for you if you add black-eyed peas to your menu on January first. It will mean plenty to eat during the year ahead. If you cook the peas, hog's head and also serve pumpkin on New Year's Day, you will have good luck all year. Some claim you must serve corn bread, while others insist that cabbage be on the table, to be so blessed.

According to a North Carolina tradition, if you eat peas on the first day of the new year, you will have a dollar for every pea you eat! No way was suggested as to an accounting method to verify this prediction. Other advice is to cook something that swells for a prosperous new year. Why take a chance? Pig out on peas.

Authorities, such as the "Southern Folklore Quarterly" advise that eating turnip greens, hog jowls, and black-eyed peas will bring health and wealth during the year. With promises of luck, money, and well-being, would you dare leave black-eyed peas off your table?

Finally, a word to those who were not born "southern" and thus not brought up on southern cooking. It should be noted that the Pennsylvania Dutch on New Year's Day, substitute sauerkraut for health and happiness all year. Some areas of New York prepare fresh dressed pork to go with the sauerkraut, while the Germans of New York prefer to use herring with cabbage. As for me, I plan to stick to our family tradition of black-eyed peas. Happy New Year and Bon Appetit!

The assistance of Valia Jones, information specialist at the Bayside Area Library, is appreciated.

"Really doing well"

MISC. FOR SALE

BEAUTIFUL DECOY ducks, local delivery, hand painted Ruddy's, Teals, Buffleheads and Swans, \$25 each. 495-2159, excellent Christmas presents.

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Mrs. Webb said, "My son will be up till 12:00 tonight making ducks." When asked why she thought the ad produced such a good response: "the way its advertised. (We're starting to get) word of mouth response as well, but mainly the publication."

\$15 for 20 words or less for 4 weeks. Call 547-4571. Ask for Angela.

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Cassidy requests a variance to allow parking of major recreational equipment in front of a building instead of behind the nearest portion of a building adjacent to a public street on Lot 1, Block 2, Section 2, Windsor Woods, 324 Palace Green Boulevard, Lynnhaven Borough. Zoning: R-6

Case D-6: Kenneth W. Ray requests a variance to allow parking of major recreational equipment in front of a building instead of behind the nearest portion of a building adjacent to a public street on Lot 6, Block 4, Section 4, Windsor Woods, 3857 Windsor Woods Boulevard, Kempsville Borough. Zoning: R-7.5

****PLEASE NOTE: IF NO ONE APPEARS BEFORE THE BOARD TO REPRESENT THE APPLICATION, THE VARIANCE COULD BE DENIED!!**

James A. Wood
Secretary
13-5
2112-28 VBS

Public Notice

Virginia:

The regular meeting of the City Council of Virginia Beach will be held in the Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, Municipal Center, Princess Anne Station, Virginia Beach, Virginia, on Monday, January 9, 1989, at 2:00 p.m. at which time the following applications will be heard:

CHANGE OF ZONING DISTRICT CLASSIFICATION:

KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH:

1. An Ordinance upon Application of Marriott Corporation for a Conditional Zoning Classification from R-5D Residential Duplex District to H-1 Hotel District on the northwest side of Euclid Road, 500 feet more or less southwest of Kellam Road. Said parcel is located at 4764 and 4760 Euclid Road and contains 2.67 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning, KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH:

2. An Ordinance upon Application of Cedar Cove Assoc., General Partner, Joe Addington, Jr., for a Change of Zoning District Classification from R-40 Residential District to R-30 Residential District on certain property located at the southeast corner of Adam Keeling Road and West Twin Cove Road. Said parcel contains 26.976 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning, LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH:

3. An Ordinance upon Application of Dale P. and Jeanette B. Myers for a Change of Zoning District Classification from R-7.5 Residential District to A-12 Apartment District on the south side of 23rd Street, 265 feet west of Barborton Drive on Lots 8 and 9, Block 3, Woodland. Said parcels contain 10,400 square feet. LYNNHAVEN BOROUGH.

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT:

BAYSIDE BOROUGH:

4. An Ordinance upon Application of William N. & Maxine H. Hall for a Conditional Use Permit for motor vehicles sales and rental on Lots-17, 18, 19, 39, 40 and 41, Block 41, Euclid Place. Said parcel is located at 204 Dorset Avenue and contains 20,625 square feet. BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

5. An Ordinance upon Application of Amoco Oil Company for a Conditional Use Permit for a car wash at the southwest corner of Northampton Boulevard and Baker. Said parcel is located at 5765 Northampton Boulevard and contains 29,285 square feet. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning, BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

6. An Ordinance upon Application of Amoco Oil Company for a Conditional Use Permit for gasoline pumps and a car wash in conjunction with a convenience store on certain property located at the northwest corner of Haygood Road and Crossborough Road. Said parcel contains 41,665 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning, BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

7. An Ordinance upon Application of James A. Tinkham, Jr. for a Conditional Use Permit for an auto repair establishment (Quick Lube), a car wash and gas pumps on certain property located at the northwest corner of Independence Boulevard and N. Wichee Road. Said parcel contains 1.092 acres. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning, BAYSIDE BOROUGH.

KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH:

8. An Ordinance upon Application of Walter F. Sullivan, Bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Richmond, for a Conditional Use Permit for a church on the north side of Salem Road, 340 feet

more or less west of Highland Drive. Said parcel is located at 2304 Salem road and contains 3 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning, KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

9. An Ordinance upon Application of Paul's Motor Company for a Conditional Use Permit for bulk storage and an automobile repair garage on certain property located on the east side of Happy Street, 265 feet south of Bonney Road. Said parcel contains 1.205 acres. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning, KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

10. An Ordinance upon Application of Ronald M. Kramer for an automobile repair service establishment on the south side of Indian River road, 609.53 feet east of Kempsville Road. Said parcel is located at 5217 Indian River Road and contains 34,082 square feet. Plats with more detailed information are available in the Department of Planning, KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

RECONSIDERATION OF CONDITIONS: KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH:

11. Application of Ronald M. Kramer for the reconsideration of conditions placed on the application for a change of zoning from R-6 Residential District to B-2 Community Business District on May 14, 1984. Property is located at 5217 Indian River Road. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning, KEMPSVILLE BOROUGH.

AMMENDMENT:

12. Motion of the Planning Commission of the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia, to amend and reordain Article 13 of the City Zoning Ordinance pertaining to the Historic and Cultural District. More detailed information is available in the Department of Planning.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

Ruth Hodges Smith, CMC/AEE
City Clerk

13-6
2112-28VBS

Public Notice

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 9th day of December, 1988.

In re: Change of name from MOLLY ELIZABETH LAWRENCE TO MOLLY ELIZABETH SMITH

By: Jacqueline Jeannette Smith, her mother, petitioners
To: Thomas G. Lawrence
9621 Chesapeake Boulevard, Apt 7D

Norfolk, Virginia 23503
IN CHANCERY # CH88-3282
ORDER OF PUBLICATION

This day came Jacqueline Jeannette Smith, petitioners, and represented that the object of this proceeding is to effect the change of name of the above named infant, MOLLY ELIZABETH LAWRENCE TO MOLLY ELIZABETH SMITH by Jacqueline Jeannette Smith, her mother, and affidavit having been made and filed that THOMAS G. LAWRENCE, a natural parent of said child, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being: 9621 Chesapeake Boulevard, Apt. 7D, Norfolk, Virginia 23503 and that due diligence has been used by or in behalf of the said Petitioner to ascertain in what county or corporation the respondent is, without effect.

It is therefore Ordered that the said THOMAS G. LAWRENCE appear before this Court within ten (10) days after publication of this Order and indicate his attitude toward the proposed change of name or otherwise do what is necessary to protect his interest in this matter.

It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A Copy Teste:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By: Linda D. Jones D.C.
Linda N. Huss, Esquire p.q.
4356-4 Bonney Road, Suite 102
Virginia Beach, Virginia 23452
804/340-2200

13-1
411-11VBS

Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 13th day of December, 1988.

Robert Damage Payne, Jr., Plaintiff, against DOROTHY DELANEY PAYNE, Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Docket # CH88-2896
The object of this suit is for the plaintiff to obtain a divorce A Vinculo Matrimonii from the said defendant, upon the grounds of one

year separation. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the state of Virginia, the last known post office address being 317 South Sequoia Drive, Apartment 411, West Palm Beach, Florida, 33409 it is ordered that DOROTHY DELANEY PAYNE do appear on or before the 3rd of February, 1989, and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit. It is further ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A Copy Teste:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By: Raymond W. Brown D.C.
A. Bartlett Keil
Greenwich Professional Center
5520 Greenwich Road
Va. Beach, Va., 23462
13-3
411-11VBS

Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 12th day of December, 1988, ANGELA SMITH COOPER, Plaintiff, against HANK COOPER, Defendant.

The object of this suit is for the said plaintiff to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the said defendant, upon the grounds of adultery, or alternatively desertion. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being c/o John & Mary Cooper, 107 Wofford Dr., Conway S.C. 29526 it is ordered that Hank Cooper do appear on or before the 2nd of February, 1989, and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A Copy Teste:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By: Linda D. Jones D.C.
Charles V. Bashara p.q.
Bashara & Hubbard
414 W. Bute Street
Norfolk, Virginia 23510
13-2
411-11VBS

Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 6th day of December, 1988.

TODD H. BOGARDUS, Plaintiff, against REBECCA LYNN BOGARDUS, Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Docket # CH88-1499

The object of this suit is for the said plaintiff to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the said defendant, upon the grounds of living separate and apart for more than one year. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being General Delivery, St. Louis, Missouri it is ordered that Rebecca Lynn Bogardus do appear on or before the 27th of January, 1989, and do what may be necessary to protect Her interest in this suit. It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

Frank E. Butler, III p.q.
1092 Laskin Road, Suite 110
Virginia Beach, Virginia 23451

A Copy Teste:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By: Linda D. Jones D.C.
12-2
411-4VBS

Public Notice

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE CITY OF VIRGINIA BEACH

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF EVA STEIN, Deceased
SHOW CAUSE ORDER AGAINST DISTRIBUTION OF ESTATE

CHANCERY NO. CH88-3784
THIS DAY CAME Selma Coplon, Executrix of this Estate and files with leave of Court a Motion for Show Cause Order against distribution of this Estate.

It appearing to the Court that a report of the accounts of Selma Coplon, Executrix of the Estate of Eva Stein, deceased, and of the debts and demands against the Estate has been filed in the Clerk's Office, and that six months have elapsed since the qualification, on motion of the Executrix, it is ORDERED that the creditors of, and all other persons interested in this Estate show cause, if any they can, on the 20th day of January, 1989, at 10:00 a.m., before this Court at its courtroom, against the payment and delivery of the estate to the parties entitled thereto, without requiring refunding bond as this Court may determine.

It is further ORDERED that a duly certified copy hereof be published once a week for two successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this jurisdiction.

I ask for this:
Richard F. Broudy, Esq.
Suite 310, Pembroke One Building
281 Independence Boulevard
Virginia Beach, VA., 23455
(804) 490-1664
A Copy Teste: J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
By Jeanette Jones D.C.
12-4
2112-28VBS

Public Notice

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE CITY OF VIRGINIA BEACH
IN RE: ESTATE OF LILLIAN V. CASEY, DECEASED
Probate No: 85-349
CH88-3763
SHOW CAUSE ORDER

It appearing that a report of the accounts of Raymond L. Casey, Executor of the Estate of Lillian V. Casey, deceased, and of the debts and demands against her estate has been filed in the Clerk's Office, and that six months have elapsed since the qualification, on motion of Raymond L. Casey, Executor, by counsel, IT IS ORDERED that the creditors of, and all others interested in, the estate do show cause, if any they can, at 10:00 a.m. on the 6th day of January, 1989, before this Court at its courtroom against the payment and delivery of the Estate of Lillian V. Casey, deceased, to Louis Denise Casey, a surviving daughter without refunding bonds.

It is further ordered that the foregoing portion of this Order be published once a week for two successive weeks in The Virginia Sun, a newspaper published in the City of Virginia Beach, Virginia.

I ask for this:

Diane E. McNamara, attorney for Raymond L. Casey, Executor
1432 N. Great Neck Road, Suite 101
Virginia Beach, VA 23454
(804) 481-6600

A Copy Teste: J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk

By Jeanette Jones D.C.
12-5
2112-28VBS

Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 28th day of November, 1988, DANIEL A. VINER, Plaintiff, against ELOUISE C. MOON VINER, Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Docket #CH88-3602

This object of this suit is for the plaintiff to obtain a divorce a Vinculo Matrimonii from the said defendant, upon the grounds of willful

desertion or abandonment: alternatively, a divorce Vinculo Matrimonii on the grounds that the parties have lived separate and apart, without co-habitation and without interruption for a period exceeding one year and an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being 1233 Remount Road, North Charleston, South Carolina, 29406, it is ordered that ELOUISE C. MOON VINER do appear on or before the 19th of January, 1989, and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit. It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

A Copy Teste:
J. Curtis Fruit, Clerk
Raymond W. Bjorkman D.C.
John O. Venner p.q.
Attorney at Law
2840 South Lynnhaven Road
Virginia Beach, Virginia, 23452
11-2
4112-28VBS

Public Notice

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Virginia Beach, on the 30th day of November, 1988.

SUSAN ELIZABETH GERTZ, Plaintiff, against CHARLES MELVIN GERTZ, Defendant.
ORDER OF PUBLICATION
Docket #CH88-3346

The object of this suit is for the plaintiff to obtain a divorce a Vinculo Matrimonii from the said defendant, upon the grounds of continuous and uninterrupted desertion for a period in excess of one year. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the last known post office address being Lot 29, Shad Road, Corolla, NC, 27927, and the plaintiff having exercised due diligence in trying to ascertain same, having engaged private detectives, made inquiries of friends and relatives, and worked through the police department, it is ordered that CHARLES MELVIN GERTZ do appear on or before the 23rd of January, 1989, and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. It is further Ordered that a copy of this Order be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Beach Sun, a newspaper of general circulation in this city.

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Community News From The Portsmouth Times and The Chesapeake Post

Creekmore Not Running; Bazemore Becomes Candidate

By S. L. Cameron
Staff Writer

The 1989 race for the 78th District seat in the House of Delegates was blown wide open with Councilwoman Willa Bazemore and Vice Mayor William Ward both throwing their hats into the ring after Delegate Fredrick Creekmore announced that he is definitely not running for re-election.

Bazemore became the first to

publicly announce her candidacy in a press conference Monday morning and Ward followed with his announcement Monday afternoon.

"With much prayer and consideration, I have decided to announce my candidacy this morning for the Virginia House of Delegates," Bazemore said, stating that she feels, after many years of good service to Chesapeake, she is qualified to fill Creekmore's position.

Creekmore announced to The Chesapeake Post that he would give up his position next year in order to spend more time with his family and his law practice.

"I'm definitely not (going to be running for re-election)," Creekmore said. "The longer you're in this position the more and more involved you get. I just want more time for other things."

Dr. Alan Krasnoff, whose name has been mentioned for possible candidacy, said that is just "rumor."

"I'm going to wait until Fred (Creekmore) makes his announce-

ment official," Krasnoff said.

How the party will select its nominee has not yet been made clear.

"Some of the people who are

currently in office will decide that," Bazemore said.

Ward said he feels that a primary would be the only democratic way to select the party's nominee.

The general election will be in November. Delegate V. Thomas Forehand's seat is also up for re-election. Forehand said he is definitely running for re-election.

The Lighter Side

Salty Water Makes Wives, Sweethearts' Hair More Luxuriant; Harder To Rinse

I would like to offer a differing view on the water situation that exists in the Great Bridge section of Chesapeake.

The generally held opinion is that the water is unfit to drink due to high salt content, among other things, and that our civic leaders are to blame. Opinions vary, but ineptitude on the part of city planners to chicanery on the part of civic leaders and developers head the list of reasons given for the poor quality of Chesapeake water.

I have taken a hard and objective look at this problem and once I eliminated the hysteria that surrounds poison water, I find that our civic leaders have done very well. I am confident that if you examine the facts as I present them, you will come to the same conclusion as I that the water situation in Chesapeake is beneficial to its citizens.

I will admit that at first I was quite upset about the salt content of the water in Great Bridge particularly when my fresh water tropical fish died. But now that I raise salt water species and don't have to spend any money to treat their water I can see that the city fathers have made my life easier.

I am sure that the local pet stores agree with me since they are now in a position to sell the more expensive salt water breeds to a larger consumer group to say nothing of providing more frequent replacement of the freshwater variety to those that remain uninformed about the water situation. And I also found the water situation easier to rationalize when my neighbor's old barking dog succumbed to a stroke brought on by the high sodium content of his drinking wa-

And I also found the water situation easier to rationalize when my neighbor's old barking dog succumbed to a stroke brought on by the high sodium content of his drinking water.

In point of fact, our drinking water has been an economic boon to the community. There have been several water treatment firms to open stores in Chesapeake, as have well diggers. These new firms give employment to salesman, laborers and provide taxes to the city. And don't forget the fees collected by the city for inspecting homeowners' wells for private use. Supermarket chains have reaped a harvest of customers for their fresh spring water and must realize that once a Chesapeake resident is hooked on fresh water they will be able to raise their prices without fear of losing their market.

I have also discovered a cosmetic benefit to the water. Shampoo and soap lathers fully, though a bit hard to rinse out. We can thank our city planners for the luxuriant hair of wives and sweethearts.

I can also see Chesapeake becoming the mecca for young married couples. Imagine the economic boom that will generate. In other communities, a new wife has to defend the strange tastes of her early attempts at cooking but here in Great Bridge she can blame it on the water. In a related development, my son tells me that the high salt content of the water has disguised

the bland taste of school lunches making them fit to eat.

The recent snow and freeze also gave me a chance to see another benefit of our water. I wet down both driveway and sidewalk with regular city tap water and was rewarded with ice free concrete, improved safety and a sure method of ice removal.

Certain aspects of our social life have been improved by our water situation. Who can help but be impressed by the large gatherings of people in front of the public safety building as we crowd around the spigots and fill a variety of water containers, exchange gossip, meet old friends and wonder if the new City Hall is hooked up to city water or a well. This gathering place also provides the current resident of the mayor's office with a crowd to look upon from the balcony and I think fully justifies the cost of that appendage to the city hall building.

When you weigh all these benefits against the minor inconvenience of not being able to drink the water provided by the city, and bear in mind that all these improvements were brought to you without a specific tax increase, I am struck with amazement that anyone would complain or even suggest that our civic leaders waste anymore time on trying to resolve this non problem.

Editor's Note: This "Tongue-in-cheek" commentary was submitted by seven-year Great Bridge resident Eric D. Shaffer. He lives on Montebellu Circle in Pines Warrwick. Shaffer is a state probation and parole officer.

Sandbridge CCO Wants 48-Acre Tract

By Lee Cahill
City Council Reporter

The city is following through on a proposal from the Court-house/Sandbridge Coalition of Civic Organizations by reopening negotiations with the owners of a 48-acre tract at the corner of General Booth Boulevard and Ferrell Parkway.

The Coalition would like to have the city purchase the entire tract or a large enough portion for a recreation center, elementary school and

possibly other city services, Glenn E. Tainter, president, said.

In an 8-2 vote recently, city council instructed City Manager Aubrey V. Watts, Jr. to begin negotiations with the owners of the property. Voting against the motion were Councilwoman Barbara Henley and Councilman John D. Moss. Councilman E. Fentress was absent.

In a letter to Council, Tainter says that the parcel is desirable because of its central location in the community, its distance from other facilities and its accessibility to and

from major arterials. The city had considered buying the tract for the London Bridge Elementary School, recreation and a recreation center. Negotiations were halted when ownership of the property was transferred. The current owners, represented by Tom Broyles, an attorney who is a part owner, said Tainter, expressed a desire to sell a large portion of the parcel to the city for the price per acre previously discussed with the prior owners. Broyles also indicated that the owners wanted to retain a portion for future use.

Light Rail Transit

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the rail system would probably be elevated over Independence Boulevard because of severe traffic problems in that area.

Whitney explained that the light rail system would economically benefit the city. The system would provide two new conventions per year bringing in \$700,000 in revenue, increase property taxes one to two percent per year, reduce the need for parking in both Norfolk and Virginia Beach and create more office and retail space.

"It'll provide a more organized approach to land use and development in Virginia Beach," Whitney said.

"Economically it would benefit the city of Virginia Beach," Fentress said.

According to ZHA, Inc., the consulting firm hired by TRT to do the economic-impact study, for every dollar put into the system, both cities would receive \$1.44 back in revenues.

"Obviously, I have not seen the economic benefits study. I was told it's supposed to be very favorable," said Oberdorf.

TRT will be making group presentations until the councils meet in February. Whitney said they want to familiarize people with the light rail transit.

"We're seeing some good feed-

back from some people," she said. "I think the information and the facts we already have will kind of show up a good firm picture we never had before," said Fentress.

Seeing the transportation system in San Diego seemed to help some of its visitors make up their minds about it. Whitney said San Diego was a good model for them to see because the area is similar to ours, as are the circumstances.

"I think we could do something similar here," Henley said.

Oberdorf said she would still like to find out more about the light rail system and would rather

have a third unbiased opinion before she makes a final decision.

Whitney said she hopes the proposal receives approval from both councils so the preliminary engineering can begin next year. If the light rail system is given the go-ahead, Whitney said it would probably be completed in five or six years.

"We're looking at 1995," she said. "There's no doubt that there will be a worse traffic problem in 1995."

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